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Ready or not, Y2K is coming

Preparation said to be the best repellent for the "Millennium Bug"

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Jan. 1, 2000 is a Saturday, but there's a good chance many folks will be headed to the office on the first day of the new millennium -- to see if their computers are still working.

And they'll also be checking their automobiles, clock radios, VCRs and heating systems -- and any other devices that rely on the estimated 25 billion embedded microprocessors currently in service.

And if they operate a business, they might want to check up and see how their banks and suppliers are faring.

Where they won't want to be, according to the prevailing wisdom, is in an elevator or an airplane.

Around the world businesses and organizations are struggling to anticipate and prepare for the operational, financial and legal risks of the so-called "Millennium Bug," or "Y2K problem."

The problem results from a glitch that can involve both hardware and software, and can cause unprepared computers to behave as if the new year were 1900 rather than 2000.

Such a mistake would wreak havoc on obviously year-sensitive applications such as accounting systems, but some experts are predicting its impact will be far broader, showing up in air-traffic control systems, high-tech health equip-

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Locke Mills corners resist easy solutions

MDOT gets local input on dealing with the village's traffic hazards

By ALISON ALOISIO

It was mostly abutting property owners who turned out in Locke Mills Tuesday to give MDOT input on widening Route 26 -- but some of the proposed changes will affect the way everyone drives the road and its intersections.

About three dozen people attended a preliminary meeting about the Locke Mills project, which would widen and improve a 1.6-mile section of the road in 2000.

The improvements were originally proposed in 1991, but did not receive funding until now.

The Maine Department of Transportation plan calls for a 24-foot-wide travel lane with four-foot shoulders in Locke Mills and eight-foot shoulders outside the village. Current widths in Locke Mills are

22 feet for the travel lane, with shoulders of two to four feet.

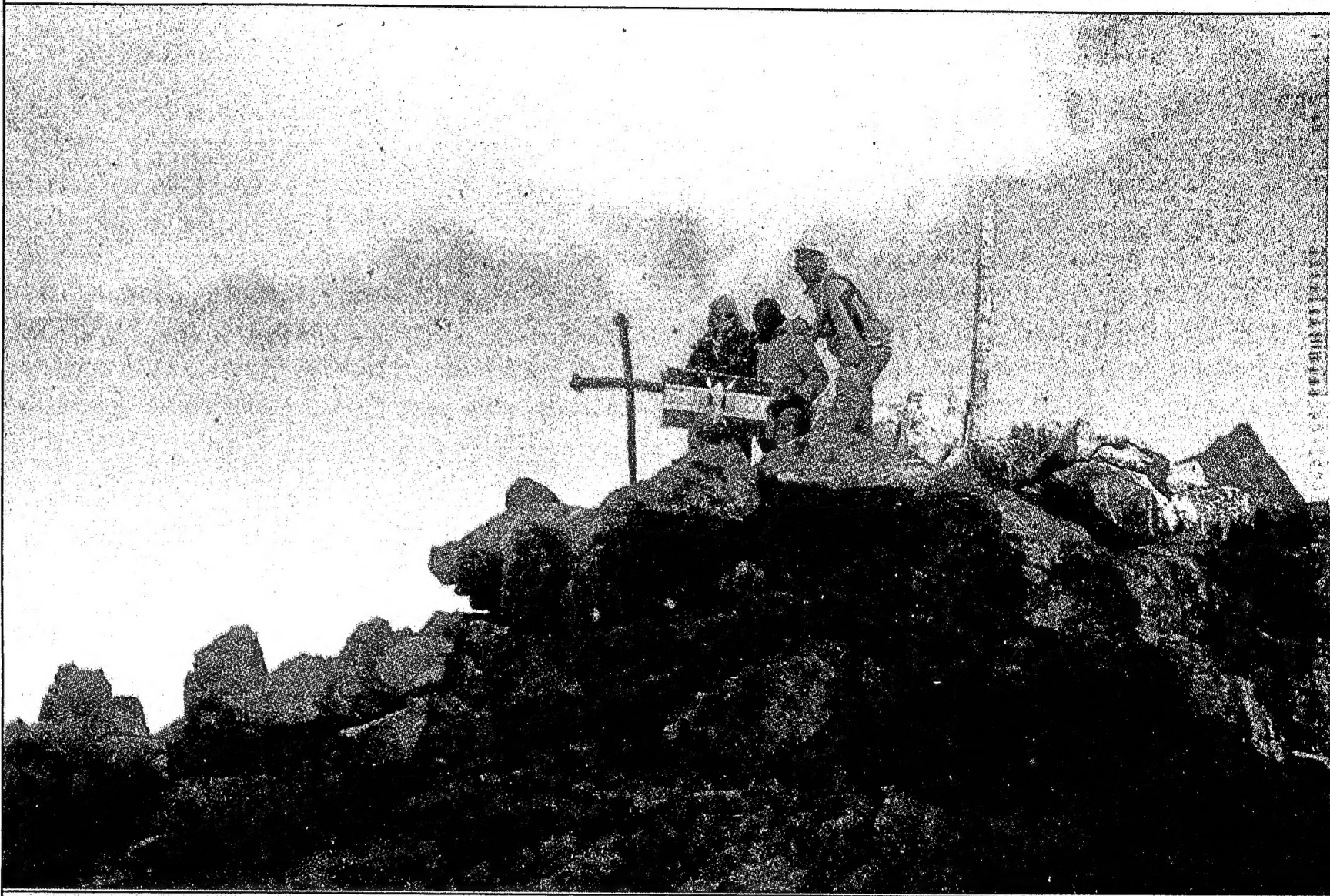
A sidewalk would also run along the road on one side, with granite curbing at the edge of the road. More trees might also be planted.

That new look, said MDOT engineer Brad Foley, should give motorists the idea they are passing through a "downtown" -- and hopefully they will travel more slowly than they do now.

Foley's observation that the speed limit is 35 miles per hour drew laughter from meeting-goers. "They go nearer 50," Foley said. He also said that lowering the limit to 25 miles per hour might further put the brakes on drivers in a hurry, although he acknowledged they

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Kenyan journey opens vistas into nature's heights, mankind's depths



A HIGH POINT--Lorenzo Baker and Ann Hopkins climbed Mt. Kenya early this month -- and learned on their way back to Nairobi that the American Embassy had been bombed. Porter Mwai Wameri and

guide Mugi Muita are shown at the summit of Mt. Kenya with Hopkins, who graduated from Gould Academy in 1981.

(Photo by Lorenzo Baker)

By ALISON ALOISIO

Lorenzo Baker went to Africa last month expecting adventure -- specifically, the adventure of climbing Mt. Kenya. What he didn't expect was to find himself in the middle of the chaos that followed the American Embassy bombing in Nairobi.

Baker, the director of student life at Gould Academy, has been a mountain climber for 25 years. He has climbed mostly in North America.

The chance to go to Kenya presented itself early last spring, when he talked with Gould graduate Ann Hopkins at an alumni gathering.

'There was every right for them to be extremely upset with Americans.'

LORENZO BAKER

On the attitude of Kenyans following the Aug. 7 blast that killed more than 200 of their countrymen

"It turned out she was going to Africa, and she said, 'Do you want to go down there?' I said, 'No.'"

Baker said he had some reservations about "lions and bears and Tarzan and swamps."

But his wife, Jan, thought it was an opportunity not to be missed. And a few days later, Ann sent him a guidebook about mountain climbing in East Africa.

He thought about it some more. "I said, 'Oh, maybe,'" said Baker.

With further encouragement from Jan, the maybe turned into a yes. A three-week trip was quickly planned, and Baker departed the last week in July to meet Hopkins in Nairobi.

Once there, getting around in Kenya proved to be something of

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School year opens with double busing, many new faces

By ALISON ALOISIO

SAD44 students going back to school today (Thursday) will be greeted with a new bus schedule and many new staff members.

Supt. Kent Rosberg said he expects some confusion the first couple of days as students and parents adjust to the new double bus runs. "We're asking folks to bear with us," he said.

High and middle school students will be transported in the first morning run -- beginning as early as 6:15 a.m. in some places -- and elementary students will travel to school separately about an hour later.

Although the decision to change the bus schedule was made and publicized early last spring, some families just recently found out about it. The switch requires adjustments for working parents who may have to leave home before their elementary student gets on the bus.

"I'm surprised some people are just finding out about this," said Rosberg. "We've had this out there for a long time."

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NEW SAD44 STAFF
Front (from left): Danielle Bernier, Lisa Pivin, Jennifer Simmons, Kelley Beauchesne, Leslie Rosenberg, Nina Santora. Middle: Carla Phillips, Elaine Ferland, Rachel Read, Deborah Lewis, Scott Edwards, Ellen Marshall. Back: Samuel Stickney, Charles Lomonte, Cynthia Savage, Chris Lindsey, Josh Gould, Kelly Dole, Tim Collins, Mark Kenney. Absent from photo: Jennifer Christiansen, Patty Brown, Nancy Grover, James List, Darcie Miles.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

Quick action halts inn fire

By ALISON ALOISIO

Quick action last Thursday by an employee and the Bethel Fire Department kept a fire at the Bethel Inn confined to one room.

Night auditor David Weston smelled smoke at about 2:30 a.m. in the upstairs hallway of the main building. He fought the blaze with a fire extinguisher and helped relocate guests until emergency personnel arrived.

Units from Newry and Greenwood also responded to the call, and the fire was out and the situation under control in 90 minutes, according to Jim Young, Bethel fire

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A vacancy exists on the Oxford County Solid Waste Board for an individual to represent the Town of Bethel. The OCSWC Board is a consortium of 14 communities who share common interests in diverting recyclable materials away from the waste stream. Representatives of each of the communities jointly establish policy and direction, and they are also responsible for the creation of an operating budget for the Corporation. Meetings are held quarterly, with the next meeting scheduled for September 9. Bethel residents interested in being considered for appointment may obtain application materials from Christen Mason, Town Clerk.

Town Office, 19 Main Street, Bethel

*Applications are due at the Bethel Town Office by Friday, September 4th at noon.

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Letters

OFFENDED BY COMMENTS

To the Editor:

Concerning the Aug. 20 article regarding the pipeliners here in Bethel, we were very offended by the comments published in your newspaper. We feel that the moneys we have spent in your town were an asset, not a burden. On average the majority of us spend at least 25 percent of our weekly income in the town of Bethel, including rent, groceries, laundry, gasoline, vehicle maintenance, etc. Of the 300 people in our crew alone, we pay in excess of \$45,000 a week in to Maine's state tax. The townspeople and shop owners have received us graciously.

In order to be guaranteed a job on this pipeline, you must either be dispatched by your union or contacted directly by the contractor. In reference to the man from California, used as an example in your article, this person was not a pipeliner, was not promised a job, and was not dispatched by any union or contacted by a contractor. However, he was given a job. The pipeliners on this job donated, from their own pockets, money for lodging and meals to accommodate him, his wife, and their four children.

Using this man as an example of all pipeliners was a mistake on your part and far from the truth.

Concerning your statements that we would be staying in Maine and applying for public assistance after the job ends shows your lack of knowledge concerning pipeliners and their workers. We all have homes, businesses, and families we return to when the work stops. Pipelines are our jobs, not our lives.

Rose Ferguson, Betty Ferguson, Dorene Phillips, Marietta Monreux, Charlene Woods, Linda O. Fitzhenry, Vivian Harvey.

THE OTHER SIDE OF THE COIN

To the Editor:

The front page in last week's Citizen about a man and his family taking assistance from Bethel after seeking work at the pipeline project may have been factually correct, but it had the effect of casting both the pipeline project and the people who work there -- the pipeliners -- in a negative light. I believe it is important to us, the townspeople of Bethel, to see that there is another side of the story -- the flip side of the coin, so to speak.

These pipeliners and their families have indeed moved here for the season. And far from being a drain on us, they have been a positive addition. They are staying in our motels, hotels, campgrounds and condominiums; they spend money in our stores, shops, garages, restaurants and cinemas; they contribute to the state through a mandatory state income tax. They use our railroads and buy trucks and vehicles through local dealers, and pay handsomely for local services from hair stylists to physicians and dentists.

The reported story of the California man and his family is accurate. What was not obvious from the article is that the man is not, and never was, a pipeliner. Apparently he tried to get a job, but was not only unqualified but proved to be unhireable. A number of people tried to assist -- including the pipeline crew who raised over \$500 in voluntary contributions for the family.

But the most important thing is that the pipeliners themselves, at least the ones I have met, are a super bunch of people. They have a tremendous work ethic. They care for and support each other. They have a great sense of fun -- their idea of partying is to get together for a barbecue and play music. They are courteous, kind, friendly and talented. In fact, from what I see, they are just the sort of folk any town should be pleased to embrace.

Jeff Parsons
Bethel

WALK A MILE IN OUR SHOES

To the Editor:

The article in the Aug. 20th paper regarding pipeliners who "sponge off" the cities they are working in is one of the most misinformed stories I have ever read.

We do not stay in an area waiting for a job to resume. We go to the next job or go home. None of us will stay here this winter waiting for a job; it just doesn't happen.

The man in question, from my understanding, was not a pipeliner, but a man who came to this area and heard of the pipeline work. He was hired by two contractors and promptly fired by both. A true pipeliner is called and asked to come to work on a job either by the contractor or the union hall. We would never come all the way from California on a chance that there would be work here.

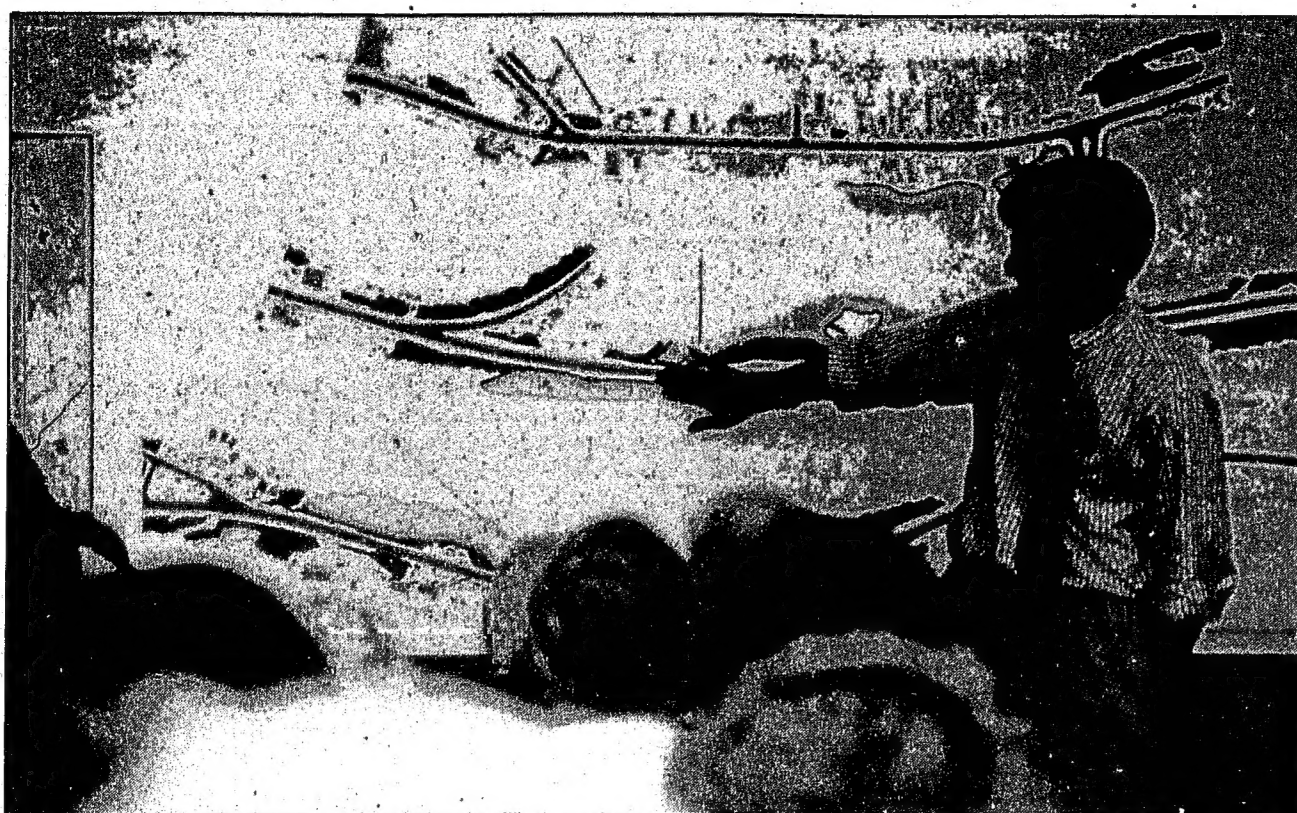
This job was delayed because of bad weather, but they are moving the warehouse the middle of September to the Casco/Raymond area as the work continues toward Portland.

Do you realize the revenue a pipeline job brings to an area? We spend lots of money on lodging, groceries, meals, gasoline, laundry, etc.

If the town rules say a person can receive \$900 a month from the city after only staying one night, I think there is something wrong with the city rules.

My husband has worked in the pipeline industry for 40 years and he and the men he works with were very upset about the paper's story. I believe it owes the pipeliners an apology for making us sound like "indigents" instead of hardworking people. As the saying goes -- "walk a mile in my shoes."

Nancy Suter
Bethel



MAKING IT SAFER--MDOT officials met with Locke Mills residents Tuesday to get their ideas on improving Route 26. Here, engineer Brad Foley discusses proposed changes to the three intersections along the 1.6-mile stretch of road. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

THEATER OF THE ABSURD

To the Editor:

To suggest that the pipeline is costing the town of Bethel money just seems to me to come out of the theater of the absurd.

It would have been far more helpful if the town office and the Bethel Citizen had made an effort to find out how many local people have been given jobs by the pipeline project than to focus on the person or persons who have come out here to abuse the welfare system.

I am familiar with the person from California and his story. He came out here and in fact was given two jobs by the pipeline project and failed to show up and work for more than a few days.

The men and women of the pipeline took up a collection for this man and his family, they arranged for him to get a union card on credit and apparently found him some housing.

I don't think it is even in the most remote way fair to say that the pipeline project is costing the town of Bethel money. It would have been more reasonable to point out that even their best efforts were unsuccessful in helping this man.

I know of a number of local people who signed on with the pipeline and because they are willing to work they are making far more money than our economy can afford to pay. It certainly is time to stop blaming employers and start focusing on people who are not willing to work.

I, as an owner of a business in town, have gotten to know these men and women of the pipeline very well, and I can assure you that they are decent and very hardworking people. If I have come to know 100 of these people I can assure you that 99 percent of them would be welcome in any of our homes.

They are honest and decent people that are not very much different from us except they say "y'all" instead of "ayuh." I have seen how they come in at the end of the day and I can assure you they are dog tired, mosquito bitten and have earned every dime that they earn in wages.

Ask anyone who owns a business or has a piece of property for rent if they feel as though the pipeline is costing us money. I can assure you that we are all very happy that they are here and will be sorry to see them leave.

But let's face it, "they are not from around here," and therefore cannot be trusted. Well, I guess after 12 years I'm not from around here either, and so maybe that would explain why I am willing to open my home to those I have become friendly with and they have opened themselves up to me. I would suggest, however, that you don't tell my wife or me that we are "not from around here" to our face, because we feel very much a part of this community and we both care very deeply about what happens in our town.

If having some people on assistance is a "cost of doing business," then so be it. I do believe that is one of the reasons taxes are taken from us.

If there are people who will come to town and take advantage of us, let's not blame the hardworking people both from here and away that work hard and continue to add to the economy of Bethel.

This letter is not meant to offend my friends and neighbors, but let us start to apply the same sensitivity that the people on assistance are granted to the employers and employees both from here and away. If not for them we would all be on assistance.

Harry Faulkner
Bethel

THANKS TO ALL WHO RESPONDED

To the Editors:

On behalf of the 100 employees at The Bethel Inn & Country Club, we would like to extend our sincerest thanks to the members of the Bethel, Greenwood and Newry fire departments. Their quick response and unwavering professionalism turned what could have been a serious problem into a manageable setback with fire and smoke damage limited to one room and eaves outside the room. The inn's recently upgraded fire suppression systems activated and created water damage in the South Dining Room below.

Jim Young and David Brown did an exemplary job leading the fire-fighting effort. We very much appreciate the assistance of the Bethel Police Department, Phil Tarr, Eugene Davis of Western Maine Associates, who was wet-vacuuming at the scene until 4 a.m., and David Weston for his quick reaction in securing the safety of our 14 guests.

Many thanks to Gould Academy and the American Skiing Company for their kind offers of assistance.

We would like everyone to feel confident in knowing that The Bethel Inn & Country Club is currently up and running in full operation. Clean-up, repairs and complete refurbishment of the fire-damaged room began immediately. Thanks again to everyone for their support.

Dick Rasor, Bill White, Allen Connors
Bethel Inn

VOLUNTEER IN THE SCHOOLS

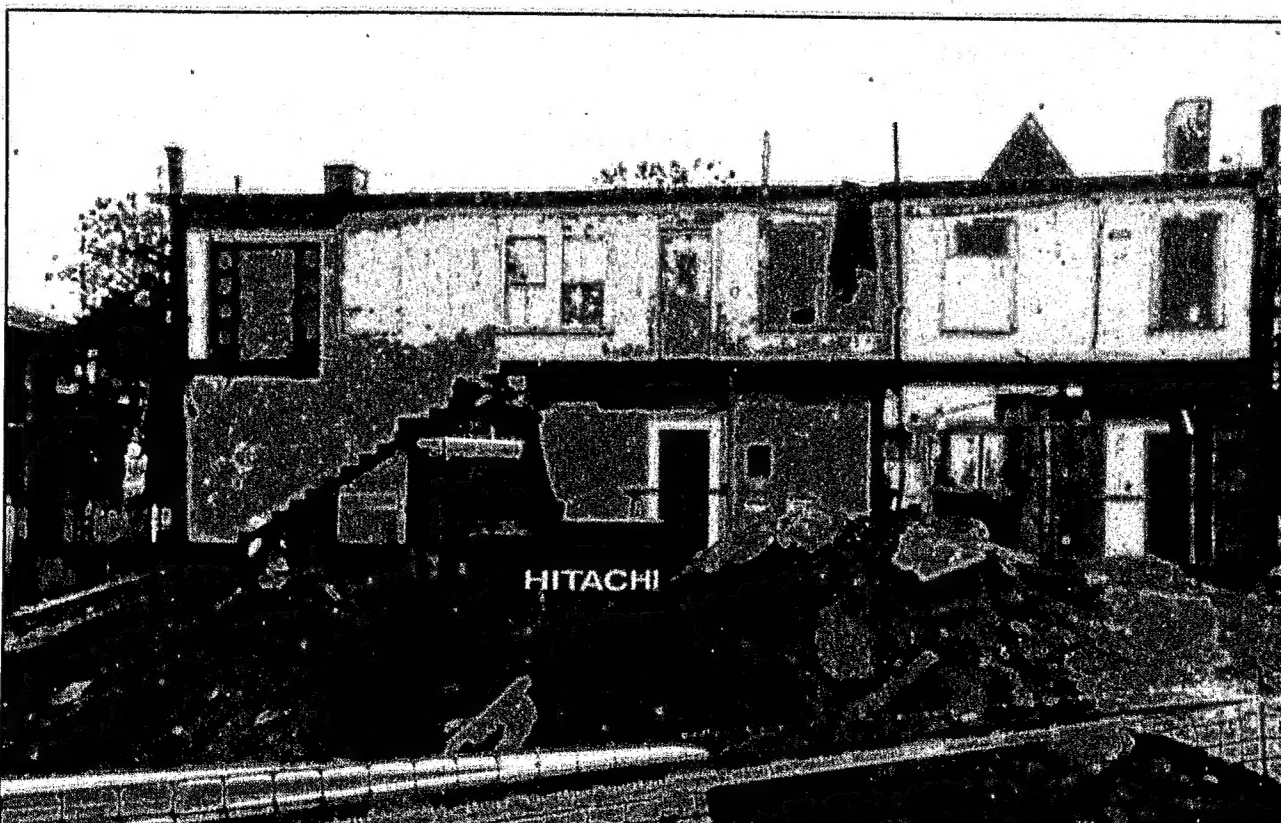
To the Editor:

As the school year begins we have many new staff and students in our schools. We would like to welcome them to our SAD44 communities. Many staff retired last year or moved on to new positions. We would like to wish them well in their new pursuits.

More than ever the children of our communities need our support. The world is smaller and growing up today is difficult. We hope all members of our communities will become involved in the lives of the youth of our area. Consider volunteering in the schools; we would welcome your help and support. You need not have school-age children to become part of that network to support and raise the children of our communities. We all need to be involved in raising them.

We hope all SAD44 students and staff have a great year.

Karen Bean
President, Telstar Education Association



REPACKAGING THE POST OFFICE--Work is underway to renovate the Bethel Post Office on Main Street. When completed, the building will provide postal workers with about twice the space they had previously. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

OUR BACK PAGES

Compiled by POLLY DAVIS

10 years ago: Michael and Margaret McKamey planned to open a Mexican-American restaurant called Cisco and Poncho's (now Sun Garden) at the remodeled Bethel mini-mall, known as Bethel Business Block.

Bethel officials signed a \$364,000 contract with Pike Industries for paving the new 3,150 foot runway and Col. Dyke Field.

Bruce Bell became the new principal at Telstar Middle School.

Tom Richards, a West Paris logging contractor, was among the truck drivers featured in an award-winning Ford Motor Company video production focusing on Ford's largest trucks, the 9000 Series.

Births: Raymond Hayes, Kyle and Stephen Barker.

Deaths: Willard Farwell.

20 years ago: Bethel Historical Society published for sale a 12-page 1979 calendar featuring a different photograph each month from Bethel area's past.

The Doctors Wadhwa announced the closing of their office in Bethel.

Walter Grover was working on new walls, ceilings and new floor, plus a nursery in the basement of the West Bethel Church.

Louis Sprague, Kurt Brown, Mike Friel, Cam Myers, and Oxford County Young Life Leader Rob Noll were spending a week at Young Life's Frontier Ranch in Buena Vista, Colo.

Marriages: Gaye Hayner and David Ferrente, Rita Houle and Phillip Faudi, Beverly Sanford and Fred Auger Jr.

Deaths: Marian Rosenberger.

30 years ago: Michael J. O'Donnell opened a law office at his home on Main Street, Bethel.

Walter E. Emory of Bryant Pond received the silver wings of an Army aviator and was appointed a warrant officer on graduation from Army Aviation School, Ft. Rucker, Ala.

The entrance to Paradise Road from Route 35 was rebuilt.

Harry and Esther Dunn, owners of Dunn's Market (now Wild River Realty) on the corner of Main and Church streets, announced the store would close its doors on Sept. 7.

Lillian Conant was hired to teach special education at Telstar Regional High School.

Marriage: Helen Young and Kenneth Curtis.

40 years ago: Nancy Willard left for Pueblo, Colo., where she would teach physical education in Corwith Junior High School.

The annual Andover Community Picnic was held at Sennett's Grove with 90 in attendance.

All boys in the Bethel junior baseball teams of the Indians, Red Sox, Braves, Cardinals and Yankees and their families enjoyed an outing at Raynor Littlefield's Beach at Locke Mills (now Littlefield Beaches Campground).

Local people were picking wax beans in their own containers for \$1.25 per bushel at the farm of Edmund Smith in West Bethel.

Birth: Donna Jean Kichon.

Deaths: Mabel O'Brien, Delia Bennett.

50 years ago: Local church bells rang on the hour Sunday, Aug. 22, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. to celebrate the opening of the first assembly of the World Council of Churches at Amsterdam, Holland.

The Western Maine Firemen's Association was organized for the purpose of unification of men's methods and equipment.

Arthur McKeen was the Cushman Bakery door-to-door delivery man in the Bethel area.

Rodney Eames was proprietor of Central Taxi and Central Service Station on Main Street, Bethel (now a vacant lot adjacent to Mother's).

Marriages: Phyllis Flavin and Archibald Spaulding Jr., Irene Bissoil and Robert Keenan.

100 years ago: The Bethel House was filled to capacity.

A number of Bethel men were on the September ballot: Eben S. Kilborn, Republican candidate for the Legislature; W.W. Hastings, his Democratic opponent; and Fred Edwards, the Democratic candidate for Register of Deeds.

The corn shop was open for canning.

Deaths: Howard Chapman.

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Briefly

Woman injured in motorcycle mishap

NEWRY--Ivy Robinson, 51, of Bethel suffered a fractured knee-cap and a broken hip Sunday when the motorcycle on which she was a passenger struck the rear-end of a car stopped on Route 2. The motorcycle was operated by her husband, Larry. The car, driven by Brian Olmstead of Ontario, was waiting to turn left onto Route 26. Ivy Robinson's head was pinned beneath the motorcycle, and a passer-by, Brett Conant of Lewiston, pulled it off her and helped direct traffic until police arrived. Robinson was wearing a helmet. Larry Robinson was treated and released from Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Richardson, Mills headed elsewhere

NEWRY--The American Skiing Co. recently announced the resignation of Tom Richardson, the company's chief financial officer, effective immediately. Richardson has accepted the position of managing director at Sugarbush. Christopher Howard, chief administrative officer, will assume the CFO responsibilities until a permanent replacement is found. Burt Mills, ASC senior vice president for mountain operations, will become vice president for mountain operations and construction at The Canyons in Utah. Warren Cook, CFO for ASC, will assume the responsibilities of mountain operations at the corporate level.

Newry needs new waste manager

NEWRY--Sig Sysko is leaving his position as Newry's solid waste manager after eight years on the job, he told selectmen last week. Sysko is moving to Lewiston. Selectmen will seek a new manager who is also a resident of Newry, so the town may be represented in the Oxford County Regional Solid Waste Corporation.

Recycling increasing

AUGUSTA--Maine's 1997 municipal recycling rates, recently released by the State Planning Office, show there has been a dramatic increase in the number of towns reaching the state benchmark of recycling 35 percent of their municipal solid waste. In 1997, 253 municipalities had recycling rates of 35 percent or more, up from 195 in 1996. Approximately 68 percent of Mainers recycle more than a third of their garbage.

MEA results mixed

AUGUSTA--Maine Educational Assessment results for grades four and eight show a mix of increases and decreases across the seven content areas (reading, writing, math, science, social studies, arts and humanities, and health). Grade four students maintained or increased their performance, despite testing delays caused by January's ice storm. Grade eight students continued to improve in math, but posted slight decreases in reading, science and social studies. The score changes of 10 points or less indicate stability in performance, rather than any significant up or downward trend, according to the Maine Department of Education.

REACH needs volunteers

NORWAY--REACH, the Rape Education and Crisis Hotline, is seeking volunteers to staff their 24-hour hotline and to serve in other capacities. The hotline provides around-the-clock assistance for victims and survivors of sexual assault and sexual abuse, and their loved ones. Advocates are trained to answer questions, inform callers about legal, medical and counseling services available to them, and support survivors. Beginning Sept. 22, free training will be offered for potential volunteers, and will cover subjects including rape trauma syndrome, incest issues, medical needs, mental health issues, community resources, social attitudes, advocacy skills, listening skills and crisis intervention. For more information call (207) 743-9777.

Boating enforcement to increase

AUGUSTA--"In response to a growing number of complaints in southern Maine about blatant violations of the boating regulations, the Maine Warden Service will be increasing its enforcement on a number of waters in that region of the state." That was the warning issued recently by Col. Timothy Peabody, Chief Game Warden. He said the Warden Service has received numerous complaints from the public about nuisance boaters who are operating with excessive speed, noise, creating damaging and dangerous wakes, and who show little regard for other users of the public waters. The complaints refer to operators of regular motorboats, as well as personal watercraft popularly known as "jet skis." Many complaints involve ignoring the headway speed within 200 feet of shore, operating close to swimming areas, and creating large wakes and noise. Among the water bodies which will receive increased enforcement: Sebago, Ossipee, Mousam, Kezar and Long lakes, and the Saco River, where alcohol abuse among canoeists is a problem.

Statewide river summit planned

AUGUSTA--The first Maine River Summit, hosted by the Natural Resources Council of Maine, will take place Saturday, Oct. 3, at Sebasco Harbor Estates in Phippsburg. Entitled "Charting a Course for Healthy Watersheds," the summit will feature leading river protection advocates from across Maine and the U.S. They will share their views on the most important steps needed to protect Maine's rivers, and put together an agenda for the future. The summit begins at 9 a.m., and participation will be limited. For more information call 1-800-287-2345.

Killington-Pico link approved

SHERBURNE, Vt.--After a year of legal wrangling, the state has approved the Killington Ski Area's plans to link trails and lifts with neighboring Pico Ski Area and use the Woodward Reservoir to make snow. The state Water Resources Board ruled recently that Killington's project would not harm the Plymouth reservoir, which was the final issue blocking the long-planned interconnection between Killington and Pico, which Killington acquired two years ago. The ruling is a second blow to residents around the reservoir who had opposed the interconnection and its related snowmaking plan. The state Environmental Board already had rejected an appeal by residents under Vermont's Act 250 land-use law, and said the \$2.5 million project could go forward. The new decision could still be appealed to the courts, and the reservoir landowners already have a case pending in Windsor Superior Court. But because opponents have exhausted their appeals with regulators, Killington is free to begin construction. "This is a very big deal for us," Carl Spangler, vice president of Killington parent American Skiing Co., said of the decision. For the first time since the Killington-Pico interconnect was proposed 10 years ago, we actually have all the permits in hand. This is going to give Pico an economic boost, which it needs. Spangler said drawing water from the Woodward Reservoir will dramatically increase snowmaking for the ski areas' existing 700 acres of trails and the 110 acres that will connect the mountains. When the interconnection is complete, the combined resort will have 1,073 acres of trails, about 900 of which will be served by snowmaking.

Future dim for Bolton ski area

BOLTON, Vt.--As the odds of the Bolton ski area opening this year drop, the chances are increasing that the resort will be liquidated. The Lyndonville Savings Bank continues to seek a buyer for the bankrupt area, but none has expressed serious interest. The bank may now sell off the resort's assets. An official with a snow industry publication commented that if the ski area does not open this winter, it would take many years to bring skiers back. One potential buyer estimated it would take \$2 million in cash and another \$2 million in bank financing to purchase the resort and make the needed repairs.

From the Bethel Police log:

A week of burglaries

Police are investigating a series of burglaries in Bethel last week, most at businesses located in the general area of lower Main Street and Bethel Station. Items taken include a cash register, a soda machine, a stereo, cash, skis and cookies. Only one burglary was a case of forced entry. In the other incidents, access was gained through unlocked doors or windows. The cases are under investigation.

Wednesday, Aug. 19

At 9:20 p.m. police stopped a subject for swerving and operating more than 10 miles per hour below the speed limit. He showed signs of intoxication and was given field sobriety tests. Jeffrey T. Langved, 34, of Fertile, Minn. was arrested and taken to the Oxford County Jail. He was given an intoxilizer test, with a result of .09. He received a summons for OUI.

Saturday, Aug. 22

At 2:30 a.m. a passing motorist reported a vehicle off the road on Route 26 at the bottom of Hudson Hill. It was also reported the operator and an occupant had left the vehicle and fled in another vehicle toward Bethel. On arrival, the officer observed the second vehicle had left the road and gone into the ditch in the southbound lane of Route 26. It was apparent the driver had tried several times to extricate it, without success. The vehicle was towed.

Sunday, Aug. 23

At 4 a.m. police clocked a vehicle at 65 to 70 miles per hour in a 50 m.p.h. zone on Route 26. The vehicle was also traveling left of the center line and right of the fog line. After stopping the vehicle, the officer observed the driver showed signs of intoxication. He was given a field sobriety test, which he failed. A breath test was also administered, with results pending. Jarrod Heath, 24, was given a summons for OUI.

Monday, Aug. 24

At 6:10 p.m. Larry Withey, 38, of Bethel was served a harassment notice and a summons for terrorizing his neighbors.

Tuesday, Aug. 25

At 3:45 p.m. police responded to a call regarding a male subject who had fallen out of a second story window. The officer found the subject lying on the ground complaining of pain in his ankles. He said he crawled out of a window onto the eaves to try to get in another window to use another subject's phone. Rescue arrived and the officer cleared.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log, but does not include all reports of police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies. An answering machine takes calls when an officer is not in the office.



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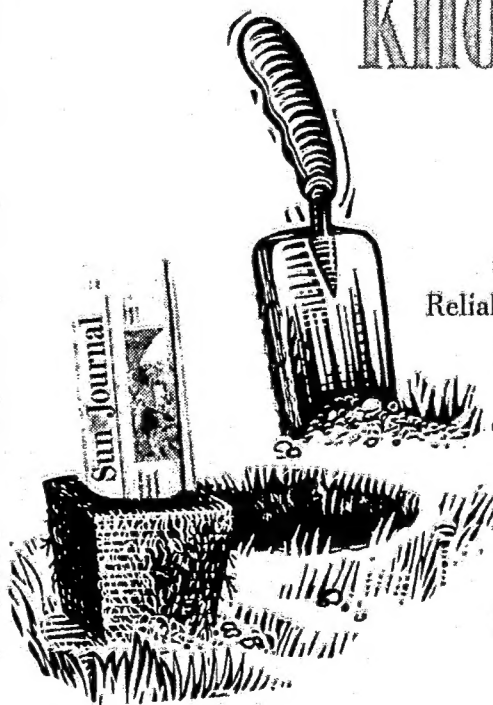
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Fire

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chief. Fourteen guests were moved from the floor.

The fire started when someone disposed of a cigarette in a planter box outside the room, according to an investigator from the State Fire Marshal's Office. The box contained dry peat moss.

A sprinkler system that was recently upgraded as part of the inn's \$1.2-million expansion projects was activated by the fire. Repair work quickly got underway, with help immediately available from the construction crew working on the expansion.

Greenwood vehicle overturns

A converted school bus used by the Greenwood Fire Department rolled onto its side on Route 26 in Bethel while responding to the inn fire.

The driver, Brian Penley, was not injured.

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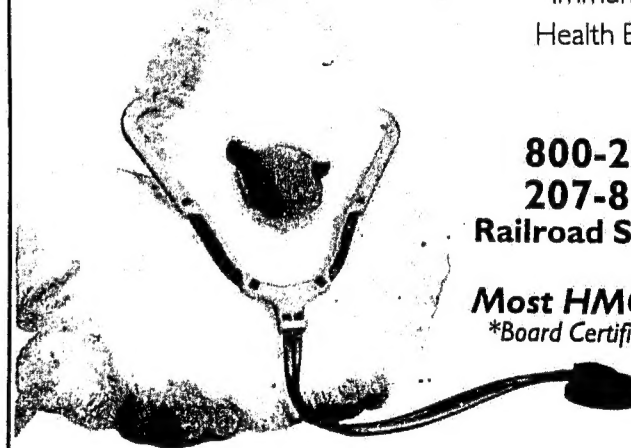
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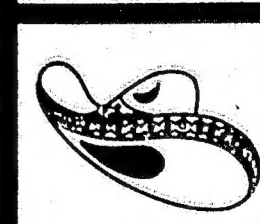
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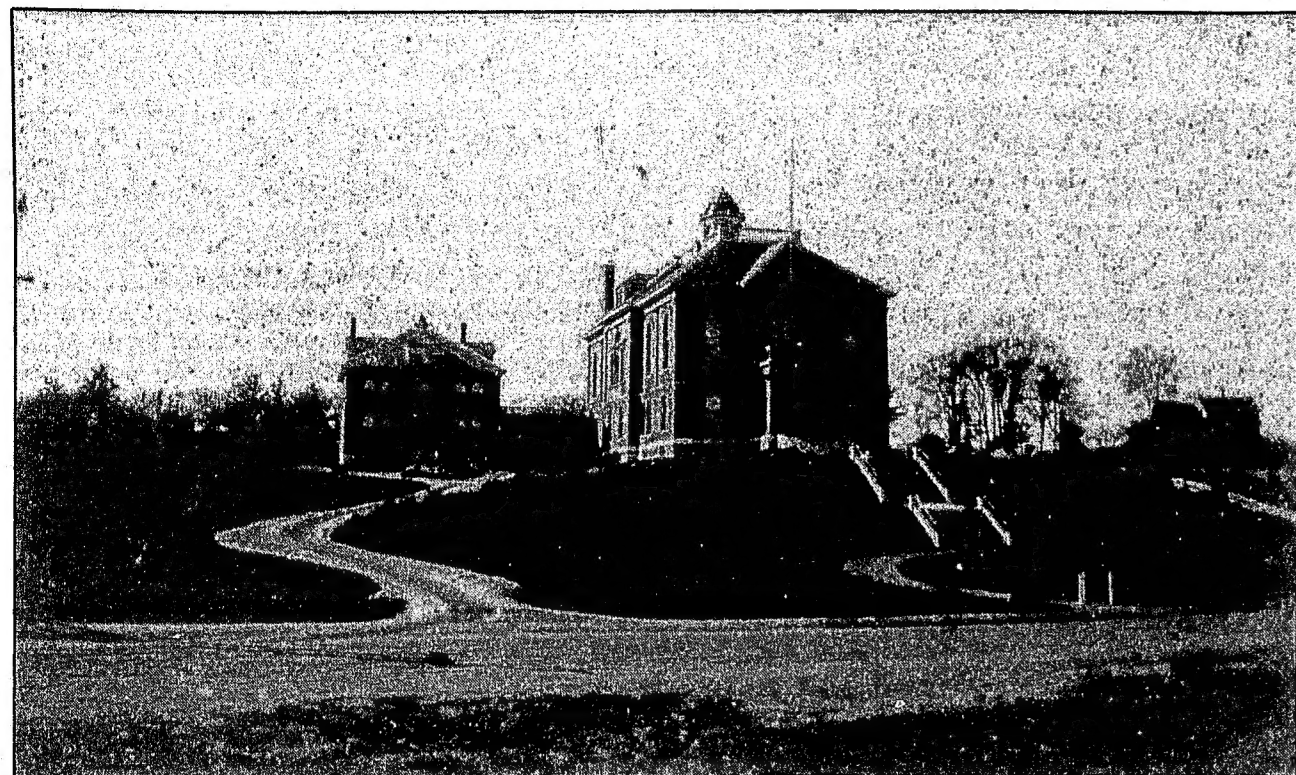
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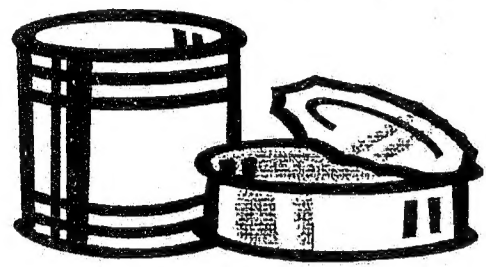
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Y2K

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ment, communications systems, electric distribution grids -- just about everywhere microprocessors are used.

"Even down to defibrillators," said Don Murphy, Bethel planning assistant, who is inventorying the town's Y2K-vulnerable equipment.

Murphy is one of a number of local computer users and business people taking steps now to tackle the problem -- because this is one project where the deadline cannot be extended, and, indeed, the implications of Y2K are already beginning to be felt.

As part of the local Y2K effort, the town of Bethel has scheduled a Sept. 9 Community Round Table for members of the local business and education community.

The speaker for the roundtable will be attorney Linda Monica, of the Portland Law Firm of Murray, Plumb and Murray.

Monica has written and spoken throughout the state on its Y2K problem, especially on its liability aspects. Her talk here will focus on the scope of the problem, the legal responsibility of businesses and towns to become "Year 2000 compliant," and the consequences of ignoring the problem.

The consequences are potentially huge. Last month Time Magazine reported that one estimate puts the potential for Year-2000 bug lawsuits at \$1 trillion in damages -- and that figure is in addition to the cost of lost business.

"Every business exists as part of a chain of customers, suppliers, utilities and vendors," Monica said. "Year 2000 failures in any link of the chain can interrupt your business. Steps taken now may protect against such failures and problems."

Dutch Dresser, who is in charge of Gould Academy's Y2K program, agreed. Dealing with the problem is less a matter of getting your own house in order, he said, though that is certainly essential, "it's recogniz-

ing critical business associations and ensuring that the services provided by those with whom you associate will be interrupted at the change of millennium."

Y2K seen from here

There seems to be a full spectrum of views here on the Y2K problem. Local merchants are already honoring credit cards with expiration dates of 2000 and beyond.

'We've been chipping away at this for well over a year.'

BILL WHITE
Bethel Inn

And at Bethel Furniture Stock, owner Leon Favreau said he is placing his confidence in software fixes already incorporated into his operating system, and on the assurance of his software vendor that they are staying on top of the situation.

But other businesses are already well along in aggressive programs for dealing with Y2K.

"We've been chipping away at this for well over a year," said Bill White, general manager of operations for the Bethel Inn.

White said the inn had spent \$20,000 just to upgrade its telephone switch, and that before Jan. 1, 2000 it plans to replace 10 of its 15 computers (computer equipment sold within the last two years is generally "Year-2000 compliant").

But the work doesn't stop with the big systems -- in part because of the ubiquitous nature of microprocessors in the modern world.

At the Bethel Inn, heating and air-conditioning systems, elevators and credit card reading machines all need scrutiny and in most cases at least some form of fixing.

"It's bizarre -- it can get down to things you just wouldn't expect to be affected," White said.

At Northeast Bank, "We've been at this for well over 18 months. We've got a very disciplined, very well organized Y2K Committee. We are well into it. We are done with the assessment phase and are currently in the testing phase of our programs," said Bill Cannan, executive vice president and chief operation officer.

"The banking industry as a whole is ahead of most people," Cannan said, in part because of regulatory concerns.

"We've also satisfied ourselves that most of our vendors have the Y2K issue in hand," Cannan said, "and we're in an ongoing program to communicate with customers who may have relationships and or systems that need to be Y2K compliant."

Cannan said people contacted by the bank are becoming increasingly receptive to the Y2K issue. "I think people are starting to buy into this situation," he said.

One of those who buy in is Neta Littlefield, Bethel's town finance officer.

The town's accounting system will start bumping its head on millennial problems well before the year 2000 arrives, she said.

For example, early in 1999 some people will start coming into the Town Office wanting to prepay their year 2000 taxes. "And if we don't get the system fixed, we won't be able to take their money," Allen Cressy, a retired systems engineer, is a volunteer consultant to the town's Y2K Committee.

There's no reason to panic, he said, but a lot of work lies ahead. He said he is giving the town the same advice he'd give a business: "not to look at this with blinders on. This problem is so pervasive, and a lot of it lies beyond our control."

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Lorenzo Baker

an adventure in itself for Baker and Hopkins. Rides often came in vehicles with questionable brakes and drivers with a taste for speed. It also took several days to hike to the base of the mountain, under the direction of a Kenyan guide and two porters.

On the way up, the climbers had to acclimate themselves to the altitude at various levels of the 16,000-to-18,000-foot high mountain peaks.

Baker said he was impressed that the Kenyans "can do so much with so little." His companions, for instance, came prepared for the climb with little more than an old pair of

tennis shoes and a jacket -- not much protection against the sleet storms they encountered. Baker spent considerable time worrying about the men.

But they proved equal to the mountain's weather and other challenges, and, said Baker, the 10-day climb was a good one.

On the return hike, the group had to walk about 10 miles out to the gate of the park in which Mt. Kenya is located. There, they met a driver who would take them part way back to Nairobi. It was Friday, Aug. 7.

A phone call

On the way back, they would pass by the National Outdoor Leadership School, and they decided to stop and visit some friends there. When they arrived, Baker ran into the wife of a friend. "We got to talking, and while we were there the phone rang," he said.

A receptionist answered it, then exclaimed, "Oh, my God, this is terrible. They just bombed the American Embassy."

Not long after the news arrived, Baker spoke on the phone with a Kenyan named Anthony, who was to come from Nairobi and arrange for their transportation the rest of the way to the city.

"I could tell he was in shock. His wife worked in one of the office buildings nearby, and he couldn't

find her."

That conversation was followed by several others, as Anthony went back and forth between looking for his wife and still trying to arrange to meet Baker and Hopkins. Baker finally told him to stop calling and find his wife.

The Americans spent the night in a hotel. There, he said, the staff "had a TV in the lobby, and they were all watching CNN."

Anthony came the next day, having found his wife safe. But, said Baker, he arrived with blood on the front of his safari jacket. "He had been helping with the people. He was running on adrenalin."

Looking over their shoulders

On the drive back, the group passed through a half dozen barricades manned by police. "They were stopping and checking everybody," Baker said.

They arrived back in Nairobi, where the friendly, kind Kenyans they found on their arrival in the country were showing obvious signs that something was wrong.

"They were kind of looking over their shoulder, because this was so random," said Baker. "It was obviously directed at Americans, but the brunt of the blast the Kenyans took right in the gut."

Baker said he became concerned for his own safety, but never to the point of panic. For the Kenyans, he

said, "there was every right for them to be extremely upset with Americans. They could displace a lot of anger against Americans."

Because nearly everyone else in the city was black, said Baker, "you definitely stick out," and he didn't feel comfortable staying in Nairobi 24 hours after the bombing. "You felt people watching you and scrutinizing you closely," he said.

Baker and Hopkins went to a hotel outside the city. Reading the paper the next day, they learned the U.S. State Department was recommending to Americans that "if you were planning to come to the country -- don't. And if you were already there, limit your travel, watch security and re-evaluate your stay," he said.

"We called and made arrangements and got out of there."

They left just before midnight on Sunday evening, with Hopkins headed for South Africa and Baker home via Paris.

"The plane was packed," he said, with people of a variety of nationalities.

He arrived home to his worried wife, who, Baker said, "was very glad to have me back. She said she thought I made the right decision to get out when I did."

Now, he says, "I'm still processing the whole trip. I've been on lots and lots of climbing trips -- but nothing like this."

Route 26

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would probably never slow down to 25.

The wider road would also make it safer for cyclists, he said.

Improving intersections

MDOT also plans to bring three side roads into Route 26 at squarer angles to improve drivers' ability to see traffic coming on the state road.

Those roads include the Johnny's Bridge Road, the Gore Road and the East Bethel Road. All three currently approach Route 26 at significant angles.

An island at the end of the East Bethel Road would likely be removed, Foley said, to allow more room for turning.

Arjan Jodrey, who serves on the Route 26 corridor committee, wasn't convinced that plan would accommodate trucks coming out of the road and turning right (north) toward Bethel.

"Trucks take two lanes (of Route 26) to turn left now," he said. "I don't see, leaving the intersection there, how you're ever going to make it proper."

He also noted that many trucks making the same turn in reverse first go farther south on Route 26, turn around elsewhere, and approach the intersection from the south.

Bertha Flanders, who lives in the house on the north side of the intersection, said trucks now cut into her property when they turn.

Someone else suggested bringing the East Bethel Road into Route 26

a considerable distance north of the current intersection. Foley said that option could be explored.

Selectman Marie Bartlett also asked Foley to consider a turnout lane across from the Gore Road, to minimize the chance of rear-end accidents when a southbound vehicle is waiting to turn left onto the Gore Road.

A Route 26 crosswalk?

Flanders also asked if it would be possible to place a crosswalk on Route 26 by the Post Office. In the winter, she said, she often has to wait a long time to cross. Foley said a crosswalk could also be considered.

Several other people expressed concern about how cutting down rises in the road to improve sight distance would affect their driveways. The rise just north of Bob's Corner Store would be lowered about one foot. Foley said MDOT could look at some combination of cutting and filling.

The widening would also bring the road, or at least the sidewalk, close to the front steps of several buildings, including the Greenwood Historical Society and the Town Hall. Bartlett said the town might consider creating a side entrance to the hall.

Foley said MDOT will consider all the ideas discussed at the meeting and come back to residents this winter with a formal plan -- one that will be designed to handle the road's traffic for the next 20 years.

SAD44

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New staff members

The other major change has taken place in the instructional ranks. Twenty-three new staff members joined SAD44 over the summer. Most are replacing retiring employees or those leaving for positions elsewhere.

"Four are new positions, in art, music and computer technology. The two technology positions are funded by a \$30,000 grant."

As is the case statewide, a teacher shortage made filling the positions more difficult, Rosberg said. "We had to be more aggressive in our recruiting," he said. "We recruited in areas we might not have in the

past. It was fruitful."

The only instructional position currently still open is an educational technician job at Crescent Park. One coaching position, junior varsity soccer at TMS, is also unfilled.

In the past, said Rosberg, recruiting centered in the Portland, Lewiston and Bangor areas. This time around, SAD44 sought staff in seacoast Maine and New Hampshire, and central New Hampshire.

It has been reported that small school districts find recruiting more difficult than large ones do, because the pay scales tend to be more attractive in big systems. Rosberg said he believes that is true, coupled

with the fact that many small districts are in rural locations, and young teachers may not be willing to live in the more remote areas.

On the subject of local pay scales, the SAD44 teachers' three-year compensation agreement expired June 30. To date, no new agreement has been voted upon by the School Board. Rosberg said he could not comment on the situation.

As for the supply of students in SAD44, enrollment is holding fairly steady. It stood at 1,075 Monday.

"We've had some influx at the elementary and kindergarten levels," Rosberg said.

About half a dozen new students come from families of pipeline workers employed in the construction of the Portland Natural Gas Transmission System line.

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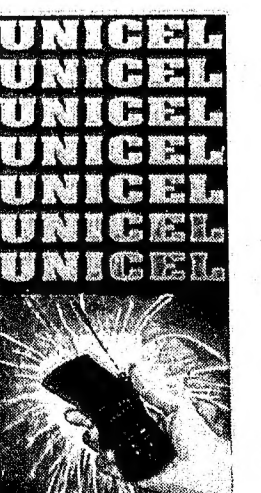
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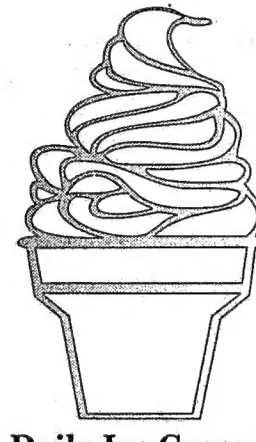
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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston

Jean Manson Waite of Portland, formerly of Bethel, is spending five days in Bethel while attending N.T.L. She is renting the Haskell apartment on Paradise Road and is employed at L.L. Bean's in Freeport as a customer service trainer.

Recent visitors of Stan Howe include Tom Mitchell, Culver City, Calif.; Charles Horne, Brewer; Robert Albota, Ottawa, Ontario; and A. William Hoglund, Storrs, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Myles Tudhope of Vermont were luncheon guests of Persis Post on Monday.

Kate Nickerson left for college on Sunday. She will attend CMTC in Auburn as a dormitory student.

Louise Lincoln has returned from Stephens Memorial Hospital to her home on Evergreen Road.

Steve Wieden from Windham is visiting his parents, the Lindley Wiedens.

Isabelle Bennett from Lexington, Mass., visited on the weekend with Reggie and Linda Westleigh of West Bethel Flat Road.

Richard Sahlgren of St. Petersburg, Fla., is spending a month visiting his brother, Eric and family on Paradise Road.

Howard Gunther from the Rumford area is visiting his sister, Patricia Carter, in Middle Intervale.

Margaret J. Tibbets is enjoying a visit with her State Department friends from Washington, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robertson visited a few days with their daughters, Vicki Robertson and Merry and Jack Harkins, of Topsham and Brunswick.

Mrs. Libby Banc spent several days last week with her son, Douglas, and family in Palmyra. Her grandson, Justin Banc, P.H.A., who is stationed at the Norfolk Naval Base, was home on leave. He is serving aboard the newly commissioned aircraft carrier, U.S.S. Harry S. Truman.

The Reverends Brendon and Jean Bass have returned to their home on Broad Street and to the West Parish Congregational Church after serving as exchange ministers at the Trinity United Reformed Church in Plymouth, England.

Their daughters, Anneliese and Caitlin, have joined them from their summer activities for a two-week vacation before returning to their respective colleges, Wellesley and Smith.

Leora and Kayla Greenleaf of Denmark are visiting for a few days with their grandparents, Eldon and Ann Greenleaf.

Ruth Silver at the Bethel House is expecting a visit from her family, Martha and Jay Seaman of Trumbull, Conn., on Friday.

Teneke Owunga is home from a three-week visit with friends in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. Bush of Bourne, Mass., were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zuzyk.

(Mary Keniston is giving Ginny a break writing the Bethel News for a couple of weeks.)

Bethel House

by Ruth Cummings

Watch your step everyone that travels the sidewalk in front of Bethel's. It really is bad and very, very bad for our senior citizens. I wish something would be done about it before someone falls and is hurt badly. Please will someone get it fixed so it is better traveling. For us older folks that are not as sure-footed, it is treacherous. I have heard much younger ones say it is very rough.

I sure goofed last week when I said that the leftovers from the Trappers' Weekend supper was brought to the Bethel House and Ruth Silver and I gave them out to the residents. The Trappers' Weekend was not that weekend at all. Well anyway, the food was brought to us from a supper put on by the Historical Society and the food was delicious and greatly appreciated.

Irene Russell just had a birthday and she went out to eat with her daughters at the Chef's Table. She had Tom Russell, Betty Robertson and Margaret Quinlan visit her on or near that date.

Robert Cole will celebrate his 91st birthday on Sept. 6. His address is 220 Vernon Street if some of you would like to send him a card, I am sure all cards will be appreciated.

Hello, George in San Diego. I sure appreciated your phone call the other evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Hanscom and son, Tyler, of South Weymouth, Mass., were in town recently and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom Sr. of 85 Intervale Road and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hanscom of Walkers Mills Road.

John Kallis paid me a short visit on Friday, and I hope he will be able to get back for a longer one someday when I will be here. He said he would be in to play cribbage. I hope so, but he will probably beat me.

Andrea Bennett, Nancy Fox, Cindy Millett, Ann Roy and JoAnn Royer spent a week at the coast recently.

The Mowerys have returned from a week's vacation.

The Rev. Linwood Hansen was guest speaker at the Bethel Alliance Church on Sunday, Aug. 16. Shane Clark was leading in the singing again and Judy Webster at the piano as usual. We had a nice attendance.

Promise Keepers for men, Ladies' Bible Study for women and Sunday School will all resume in September at the Bethel Alliance Church.

Vada Glover visited me on Tuesday and we went to Gorham, N.H., to the Wal-Mart. A great store but hard to find things, although folks are ready and willing to assist you in what you would like to find. We had a nice turkey dinner at Wilfred's in Gorham. We also played cribbage. Now at 828 games, Vada is two ahead.

Have a nice week everyone and God Bless.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer

There was a good turnout for the last service at the East Bethel Church.

Bob and Gertrude Hinkley attended Shannon Tyler's wedding at the Locke Mills Town Hall on Aug. 22 and the reception afterward.

Bob and Gertrude Hinkley had a family cookout on Aug. 23 with all the family for Heidi, their daughter. She is home for a week from Scottsdale, Ariz.

Mary Bean and Arthur Hertell visited Steve and Pam Wojtylski in Westbrook on Aug. 22.

Elaine Bean of South Rumford visited Mary Bean on Aug. 23. Both attended church at the East Bethel Church. Elaine stayed for supper with Mary and Arthur Hertell.

East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers. Guess what? I forgot to write last week. Please accept my apologies. I guess I was too busy

going to the Portland Airport Tuesday, the 11th, and my birthday the next day and to the airport again on the 13th. Daughter Cheryl and her daughter, Lindsey Barnard, came to visit us from Virginia and to visit Cheryl's aunt, Carolyn Heino, who is in the Market Square Health Care Center in South Paris. Baking for the Church Bake Sale on every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. takes time. Is there ever time enough to do everything?

Anyway, isn't this great weather now. We spent some time at the beach. Sharon Traish and Iona Huneedy, from Belmont, Mass., were at the cottage at Keewadin Lake this past weekend and Sharon attended the Fryeburg Academy Class Reunion on Saturday.

On Saturday, Aug. 15, Rebecca Evans showed her hooked rugs and pillow in the craft show at the New Suncook School in Lovell. She also does stained glass. Rebecca is nine

years old and does really good craft work.

On Thursday, Aug. 12, the annual Church Turkey Supper was a success. They seemed to have plenty of good food and plenty of people, and that's good. This is a good fundraiser for the church and everyone enjoys it even though it's a lot of hard work putting on a supper like that. Come again next year. Oh, by the way, the next bean, casserole, etc., supper will be on Thursday, Sept. 3, from 5 to 6:30 p.m.

More good news -- I have heard rumors from reliable sources that the East Stoneham Store has been sold and will be opening again in the future. Also there will be a restaurant there. By the way, has everyone tried the new restaurant (formerly Lou's) which is on the way to Norway and called the Crooked River Restaurant and Variety? We tried it last Sunday and were very pleased with it.

Daughters of Veterans of the Civil War, Hannah F. Richardson Tent 19, don't forget the meeting at K. of P. Hall on Thursday, Aug. 27, at 7 p.m. We need all you members to help carry on this order.

Joshua Barnard from Virginia has been visiting his cousin, Matthew Nelson, at Cranberry Island and North Lovell and has today flown back to his home in Virginia. His mother works for U.S. Air, so he gets to fly on a free ticket. Lucky -- huh?

Ray Files and friend from Oxford called on Frances Grant one evening this past week.

On Saturday, Aug. 15, the 20th annual Highland Games, held at Thomas Point Beach, Brunswick, the McAllister clan was represented by Donald Farr, Rodney McAllister, Guy McAllister Jr., Dorothy Packard, Oniel Heath, Estelle Heath, Estelle's sister and husband, Marilyn McAllister Jones, Richard Jones and the Erlon McAllister family. Sixty clans were represented.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

Summer is slipping away from us, but the weather is holding up nicely.

There is a lot of enthusiasm to enjoy these days with the activities in the area. The Public Landing in Cambridge on Lake Umbagog is glutted with cars, campers and trucks. The best-kept secret is out. Umbagog Lake has been brought to the attention of a lot of people. I'm afraid we have seen the best of it. We all hope and pray that it doesn't become a Lake Winnetuk.

Saturday, Aug. 22, the Ladies Aid held their yard and bake sale. It was highly successful in many ways. A lot of people came and stayed to chat. The sale was quite profitable. There are very few members of the Ladies Aid, so they must contribute most of the bake goods, but there must be buyers as well as sellers. We are grateful to our faithful buyers.

Next Saturday, the 29th, the Ladies Aid will sponsor their annual supper. It is a week earlier this year. We miscalculated the date that Labor Day falls on this year. We hope our faithful friends will attend the auction and supper again this year. It is always a fun event.

Visitors to Upton this week were the Harris family (too numerous to name them all), Mary and Nelson Hood, Diane Williamson and family, Floyd and Debby Dicey and daughters Tricia and Shawnee, Shannon's baby daughter, John and Avis Arata. There were five generations of family visiting Vi and Ray Bernier.

Bird sighting this week was a

snowy egret spotted by Buster Williamson.

Shirley Ennon Staples, from Lisbon Falls, dropped into the yard sale and gave us a generous donation toward the church bell tower. We are gradually reaching our goal in raising funds for the church. Although we have not solicited funds, we have received donations from several interested persons. Sponsors to this date are Sylvia and Willard Wight, Avery Angevine, Stuart Goodwin, Sue and Larry Nelson, Richard and Ellie LeComte, and Shirley Staples. We wish to thank all these people.

The School Committee met on Thursday, Aug. 20. School bus stops were discussed and finalized. The parents of the students were notified that the children will be picked up at 7:30 a.m. and arrive home at 4 p.m. We have one kindergarten student, Christine Conoyer. Her dad will take her to school the first day so that she will be comfortable in her new surroundings. We realize that the first day of school is a big step in her life.

Several people attending the bake sale at the Ladies Aid complimented the town on how good the old school and church looked, with the buildings newly painted. Roger Lavalley does a fine job maintaining the cemetery and keeping it in tip-top shape.

Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt

On Friday evening, Leatrice and John Chase, Beatrice Farnum, Beth, Steve and Marybeth Hoover, JoAnn, David, Ray and Shawn Crockett, Jim, Joseph and Maggie Hoyt, Lauretta and Kellie Sanborn and Alice and Ken Hoyt had supper at the "Talk of the Town" to celebrate Alice's birthday and Ken and Alice's anniversary.

On Saturday the Ken Hoyt's moved to George Chase's camp for a week. Saturday evening the whole family was there for supper; Beth, Steve, Marybeth, JoAnn, David, Ray, Shawn, Jim, Joseph, Maggie, Bobby, Gwenn and Beatrice Farnum. Some of the grandchildren were there most of the week and everyone seemed to have a good time.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens will meet on Thursday, Sept. 3, at the Masonic Hall with the dinner put on by the Star Birthday Club. Beulah Ayer, volunteer for Community Concepts, will be there to take applications for fuel assistance. Please bring proof of income, light bill and social security number. There will be a brown bag auction. Please bring an item or items in a brown paper bag to be auctioned off.

Franklin Grange 124 met on Monday night with 36 people attending. This was Ladies' Night and a 6:30 supper was held. Peggy Blake was master; overseer, Olive Risko; lecturer, Marion Bennett; steward, Elizabeth Bragg; A.S., Laura Hutchins; L.A.S., Rose Brooks Dyer; chaplain, Althea Fish; Ceres, Connie Tuttle; Pomona, Sylvia Johnson; Flora, Priscilla Jusard; G.K., Kaye Barker; treasurer, Anna Woodworth; secretary, Wilma Day; executive committee, Lucy Ridley, Nella Burnham and Anna Swan; pianist, Dot Canwell; C.W.A., Gloria Abbott, Kathleen McAllister and Nancy Dewing. The program went as follows: opening thought; song by all; reading on friendship; song; tableau, "Days of the Week," by several ladies; the Yates Family Trio sang; reading by Anna Woodworth, "Solomon Gundy"; Linda Hooker from TRIAD talked on several subjects; piano solo by

Althea Fish; reading by Lucy Ridley; Bertha presented the Grange a song book in honor of Irene Stevens; Richard Felt received his 60-year seal; resolution of respect for Irene Stevens was read and a copy sent to her son; "Happy Birthday" was sung to all with August birthdays; Bertha presented more teddy bears to Tri-Town and told the history of each one; a Chinese auction was held; closing thought.

West Paris



by Miriam Inman

West Paris Historical Society met Monday evening for a potluck supper, with 30 present.

Cynthia and Sayward Lamb were in charge. Glen Emery was the speaker and spoke about former neighbors and the inhabitants of Trap Corner. Very interesting.

Bob and Kathy Bessette, Emily, Marc and Timothy from Fairfax, Va., spent several days last week and over the weekend with Kathy's parents, Vance and Connie Bacon, and brother, Ken.

John Young, Brian and Timmy from Stamford, Conn., spent the past 10 days with his mother, Phyllis Young.

Eleanor Heath is now at Lodgeview Nursing Home.

The West Paris Historical Society is planning to have a Harvest Supper on Sept. 18, followed by a dance with music by the Parisians.

Ted and Betty Jones were in Boothbay Harbor for several days last week to celebrate their anniversary.

Andover



by Tina Farrington

The Andover women's softball team, sponsored by Andover Automotive, finished their season last Thursday. Andover placed third overall in the Women's League, which plays in Rumford.

The Calvary Congregational Church Sunday School will hold a pancake breakfast on Sunday, Sept. 13, at 8:30 a.m., with the start of the Sunday School year following from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Classes are for children and adults, 3 to 103. For more information, contact Marge Stinson, superintendent, at 392-2593.

There will be a benefit for local store owner, Dave Greig, at the Andover Fire Station on Sept. 12 from 1 to 5 p.m. There will be many raffle items as well as a 50/50. The benefit is being organized by Dave's church family from Mexico Congregational Church and will be hosted by the Andover Fire Department. As many now know, Dave has been diagnosed with cancer. Our thoughts and prayers go out to him and his family.

Keith and Janet Farrington and children, James, Andrew and Amy, are now residents of Andover. They purchased the Ludd property in South Andover. Keith, who recently retired from the Coast Guard after serving 20-plus years, is the son of Norma and Freeman Farrington of East Andover.

The Ellis River Riders hosted the annual Ellis River 30-mile trail ride last Sunday. Riders left the arena around 7 p.m. and rode a 30-mile route in and around Andover, which ended back at the arena around 1

p.m. This was an ECTRA-sanctioned ride.

Updated bus schedules for the elementary runs in Andover are available at school. Our new secretary is there full-time now. Be prepared to be surprised when you enter the school. I understand the new "face lift" inside the building is wonderful. School begins on Thursday, Aug. 27, at 8:30 a.m.

The Teen Group and friends of the Calvary Congregational Church attended a Portland Sea Dogs game on Saturday, Aug. 22.

North Newry



by Gil Seeley

Sylvia Harrington and her sister, Nancy, who was visiting her at the time, and yours truly were guests of Sylvia Wight for a coffee and pie rendezvous recently.

The Brouillard family and friends from Pascoag, R.I., dropped by to say hello to me recently and gave me some moose patties. They have a camp in Upton.

Also, I had another surprise visit from Mr. and Mrs. Knoles and friends from Stark, who I had not seen for many years.

I want to thank my "Good Neighbors" for all the goodies from their gardens -- lettuce, cukes, beets, carrots, peppers, zucchinis, etc. God Bless.

Bill and Sylvia Wight attended the wedding of Michelle Gordon and Kevin Loo in Portland on the Eastern Promenade on Saturday, Aug. 15. Michelle is the daughter of Cheryl Wight and Mike Gordon of Windham. Bill and Sylvia also were at the August Maine Snowmobile Association meeting in Augusta last week.

Greenwood City



by Colista Morgan

As August progresses toward autumn, many of the mornings become misty over the ponds. This

mist looks like smoke curling as it plays tag with the breezes. I like to watch its whiteness as it glistens like spiderwebs touched with dew.

As I visited "my" tree by the old pasture bars there were many things of interest. Our valley is full of trees and legally this one is not really mine. I own it only by watching it day after day, and because it's where I pass by it at this special place on the road. I treasure it and watch it leaf out in spring and color in fall when I wonder each day if it will bring more rubies, for it's a beautiful maple. Probably it has been photographed more than any single tree around.

Near it today stood the turtleheads. These flowers are more odd and striking than pretty, but like its neighbor, the jewelweeds, the bees love it. Both flourish luxuriantly. The latter profusely hangs with brilliant jewel-like flowers. By the roadside they are yellow, but those I brought home from the island are a gorgeous pink with large, lovely ear-drops on tall robust plants, like those by my house. At all times they are filled with the hum of bees and hummingbirds. To hear music, sit and listen. I watched a bird sitting on a particular flower, dressing her plumage. Her

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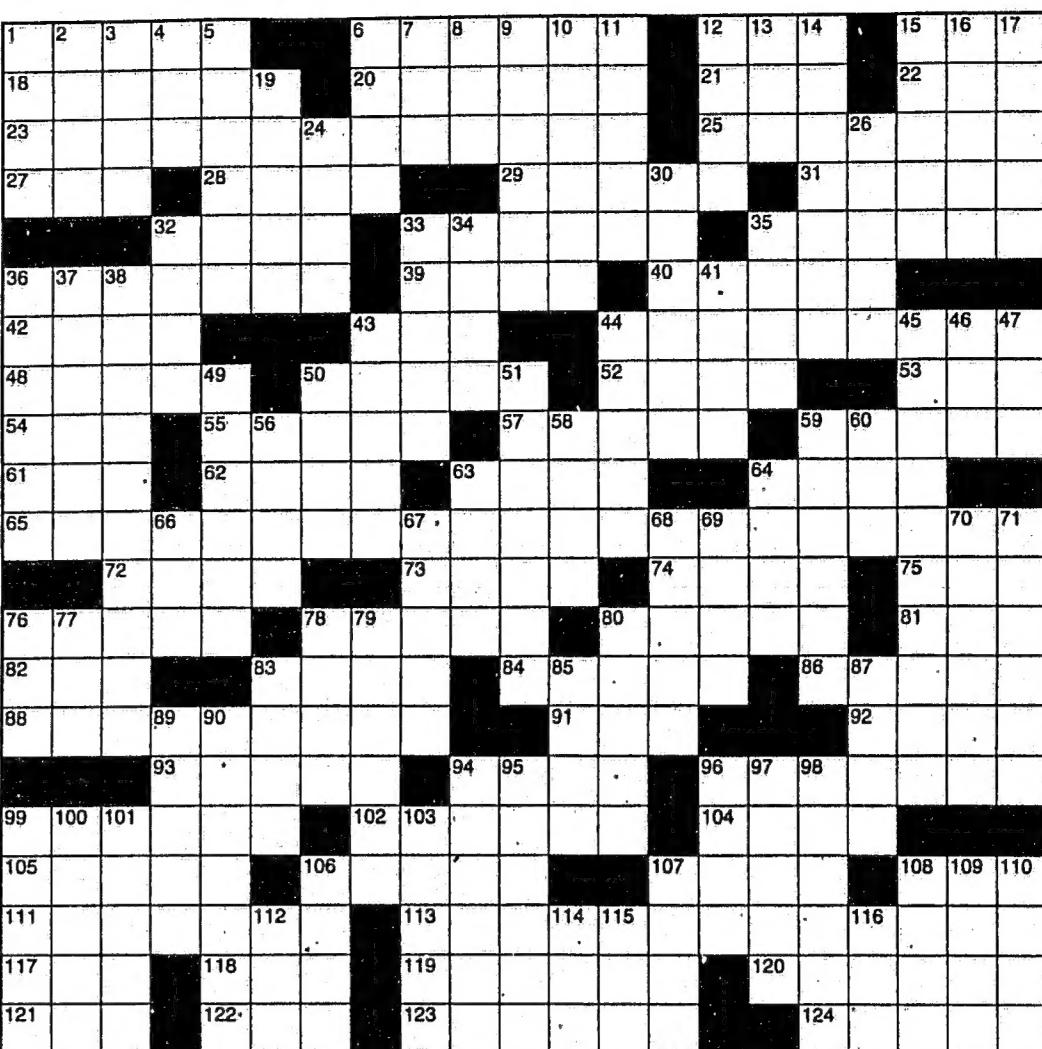
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inscrutable, brilliant dark eyes flashed quick glances all around, no motion escaped her. After some time she flew up on buzzing wings inspecting me, until satisfied. Then she visited the flowers. The beat of her wings was so rapid there was only a blur. They seem especially attracted to red, orange or pink flowers. With the first frost, the little ruby-throat will leave us for it can stand little cold.

This is also time of rich music if your ears are tuned. I took a personal recording today to carry home which may outrank some of the man-made discords. But then doesn't M-A-N mean "make a noise?"

Walter Curtis and his wife, Laurel, of Farmington came to visit his mother this week. Carl Curtis was also home from his work in Trenton.

The pond has been busy this week with those fishing and others just sailing.

I understand we have new neighbors in the old "Cole Place."

Kathy Curtis has a new trailer home.

Ann, Sally and Mary were in Boston a couple of days this week.

It was good boating the first of the week. Bradley took Ann, Leonas, Fay and me around Norway Lake Sunday morning in his boat. A very enjoyable ride.

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by Richard Grover Hobbs

Hobbs, one of the guys in the shop where I work, is blessed with a quick wit, which often gets the whole shop laughing. One day recently, his wife, Gail, worked the late shift at the Big Apple. She was still there when Hobbs and B W came to work, sometime before 6 a.m. That subject came up in discussions about mid-morning, and Eeyore said to Hobbs, "I think now would be a good time to phone your wife and see if she is sleeping well." "Without hesitation, Hobbs replied, "Great idea! And when I do I can tell her to stop and pick up some doughnuts for us on her way in here to kick my butt."

A couple weekends ago, Mona and I went camping with friends near Rangeley, and one of them (I promised not to reveal names) told this story about her mother. It seems they had taken her mom with them while running errands near the coast, and stopped at a Kentucky Fried Chicken restaurant for lunch. After picking up their order at the counter they sat at a table to eat. Our friend noticed that her mom was picking at her French fries and looking somehow unhappy. She said, "Mom, what is wrong?" "Oh, nothing," "Mom, something is bothering you; what is it?" "I don't want to eat all my French fries first." "Mom, what are you talking about? Nobody said you had to eat your French fries first." "Well, look at this cash receipt. It says right here at the top,

"Eat in Order."

Last weekend was a biggie in Mason. First, Dan and Nancy Grover hosted a surprise 80th birthday party for my "big sister" Verna Thayer on Saturday, Aug. 22. Our best estimate is that over 100 people were in attendance over the course of the afternoon. These included many of the West Bethel Union Church members, Mason-McMillin Bridge Club members, members of Verna's Christmas Club -- girls who have been having regular annual meetings for over 50 years, some of her friends from Port Clyde (Maine), many members of the extended Grover family, including granddaughter (her only granddaughter) Tracyn and husband Norman from North Carolina, grandson Darren Thayer from Portland and son Skip, from Pittsburg. Of course, there were also many other friends from all over western and southern Maine. As usual at Nancy's house, there was more delightful food of almost every description than all those people could eat. I think Verna was nearly overwhelmed.

Don and Elsie Aylward's oldest daughter, Eileen Flynn, and husband Christopher brought their six-month-old daughter, Madison Rya, from North Carolina to meet "the clan" and to be baptized at the West Bethel Union Church in Sunday's service. Minister Joyce Scott officiated in an impressive ceremony, with a large congregation, enlarged by more of the extended family and friends, there to witness and support Eileen, Chris and Madison. Following the church service, Elsie and Don hosted another get-together for family and friends, at which another 35, or so, folks consumed another

impressive spread of foods of many delicious preparations. This group was joined by Steve Crone's black lab dog, who kept the younger set entertained by retrieving all the tennis balls anyone was willing to fling into the woods or the pond.

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Michelle M. McInnis of Bryant Pond, an incoming first-year student at Colby College in Waterville, was selected as an L.L. Bean Scholar at Colby for 1998-99. A graduate of Telstar Regional High School, where she was class valedictorian, McInnis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy L. McInnis of Bryant Pond.

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During high school, McInnis earned membership in the National Honor Society, received the Maine Society of Women Engineers Award and Rotary Youth Leadership Award, was a Maine Scholar and was selected for Girls State. She was active in community service, including peer tutoring and working with senior citizens. She was a tri-captain of the varsity field hockey team, earning Mt. Valley Conference All Star honors, and participated in Nordic skiing.

McInnis said she is leaning toward a major in environmental policy in hopes of pursuing a career in environmental law.

This week at the

Moses Mason House

The 33rd annual meeting of the Bethel Historical Society will be held this year at Alder River Grange Hall in East Bethel (1895 Intervale Road) on Thursday, Sept. 3, beginning with a 6:30 p.m. potluck supper. Following the supper, the annual meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m., where the report of the Nominating Committee will be held and the 12th annual Marjorie MacArthur Noll Volunteer Service Award will be made to an outstanding volunteer. The program will feature a presentation on the history of the Poland Spring Resort by Dr. David Richards of the Margaret Chase Smith Library. Dr. Richards is a graduate of Bates College and received his M.A. in New England Studies at the University of Southern Maine and his Ph.D. from the University of New Hampshire. His doctoral dissertation topic was on the history of this nationally famous resort that for so many years was a major tourist attraction. Everyone is welcome and those attending the potluck supper are requested to bring a salad, dessert or hot dish to share.

From the

Bethel Senior Citizens

Thirty-four senior citizens enjoyed a mystery bus trip on Aug. 19. First stop was the Glen House in Gorham, N.H., for coffee, then on to Crawford Notch. The next stop was at Fabyan's Station and Restaurant where the group was served a delicious lunch. After lunch they traveled to the Mt. Washington Hotel in Bretton Woods, and were given a tour of some of the interesting rooms. The guide gave a brief history of the hotel. One point of interest is that they have their own post office and zip code.

Sept. 9 is the next meeting, which will be at the North Waterford Church. The cost of dinner is \$6.

Sept. 30 is the foliage trip. Payment should be made at the Sept. 9th meeting. Cost of the trip is \$20, which does not include meal.

From the

North Waterford Senior Citizens

The North Waterford Friendly Senior Citizens will meet Wednesday, Sept. 2, at the North Waterford Congregational Church. The meeting will begin at 11:30 a.m. Dinner will be at 12 noon. Participants are asked to bring their own place settings. Following dinner there will be a program. Participants are also asked to bring a prize if they have one, a magazine for the magazine swap, and a riddle -- if they have one -- to share with the group. All are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

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Community Calendar

Activities

Saturdays, 9 to 12 a.m.--Bethel Farmers Market at Bethel Family Health Center parking lot. During September and October there will be fall vegetables, corn, perennials, baked goods and crafts.

The Computer Lab at the Learning Center open to adults during center hours and additional evenings. Learning Center volunteer Frank Gibson III will assist in lab Monday mornings. The lab will also be open Mondays and Tuesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. for adult use with Joe Vedella as lab manager. Additional hours will be scheduled on weekly basis. No charge for lab use, but all users must complete a District Acceptable Use Policy and provide their own floppy disk.

Tuesdays--A Course in Miracles study group meets 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Ripley Center, 52 High Street, South Paris. Newcomers welcome. Teaches how to heal relationships by changing one's perception. For information call (743-9373).

Mondays and Wednesdays--Alcohol/Drug Treatment Program available at Bethel Family Health Center. For information call 743-7580.

Thursdays--Pie and Bake Sale, 1 p.m., at Bethel Methodist Church.

Fridays and Saturdays thru Aug., 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.--West Bethel Union Church and Pleasant Valley Grange 50-percent-off sale of cottons, blends and notions at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall.

Thursday, Aug. 27--First Day of School for SAD44 students. The McLaughlin Foundation Garden & Horticultural Center will sponsor a canoe/kayak exploration of the plants in the Lake Pennesseewassee bog. Bring your own canoe or kayak and life vests. Meet at Norway Lake boat launch at 9 a.m.

Bethel Area Poets Society poetry reading, 7 p.m., at Cafe DiCocoa, Main Street, Bethel. All poets encouraged to bring latest work and read it. Listeners also welcome. For more information, please contact Rockie Graham at 824-3427.

Learn how paper is made with Heritage Mill tour which leaves Northern Forest Heritage Park Trust, Berlin, N.H., 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. (\$5).

Ellis River Riders will hold a second Pointed Ride at the Andover arena. For more information, call Bonnie Marston at 392-1078.

Friday, Aug. 28, 8 p.m.--Women Barbershop Performance--the Mollycockets will be featured at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$12 general, \$8.50 with Circle of Friends Pass.

"Moose!"--a presentation and video by Norm Charest at Hastings Campground on the Evans Notch Road, Gilead, at 8 p.m., sponsored by the White Mountain Interpretive Association and the White Mountain National Forest. Public invited. For more information, call Evans Notch Visitor Center at 824-2134.

Hymn Sing, 7 p.m. at Pinhook Meeting House. Everyone welcome.

Saturday, Aug. 29--5 p.m.--Upton Ladies Aid Town Supper.

Chicken Bar-B-Que (potato and pasta salad, slaw, desserts, beverages) at Blazing Star Lodge, Route 232, Rumford Corner. Adults, \$6; children 12 to six, \$3 and under six free.

Open House Lawn and Craft Sale at Greenwood Historical Society building, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Schooner Fare, New England's favorite ensemble, will perform at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison, with show starting at 8 p.m. Reserve early. Tickets: \$16.

Public Supper at West Bethel Union Church, 5:30 p.m.

Dance with the "Ridge Riders", 8 p.m. to midnight, at Waterford World's Fair grounds, \$14 per couple, no one under 21 admitted (ID's required). Free ice and cups. Refreshments and soda on sale. For information call 583-4054.

Tuesday, Sept. 1, 8 p.m.--Lawrence Golan, violinist and concertmaster of Portland Symphony, will perform with Jara Goodrich, harpist and Judith Quimby, pianist, a selection of classical works at Deertrees Theatre, Harrison. Tickets: \$12 general or \$8.50 with Circle of Friends Pass.

Wednesday, Sept. 2, 11:30 a.m.--North Waterford Friendly Senior Citizens meeting and dinner (12 noon) at North Waterford Congregational Church. Bring your own place setting and a prize for the program. Magazine swap.

Sept. 2-4--Appalachian Mountain Club workshop, "Canoeing Lake Umbagog: Jewel of the Northern Forest." Camp two nights on Lake Umbagog's shore. Open to AMC members and non-members alike. For reservations and workshop information, or to join AMC, call 603-466-2727.

Thursday, Sept. 3, 6:30 p.m.--Bethel Historical Society's annual meeting and potluck supper will be held at Alder River Grange Hall, East Bethel.

East Stoneham Church Supper (beans, casseroles, etc.), 5 to 6:30 p.m. Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens meeting and dinner. Bring brown bag item for auction. Beulah Ayer, Community Concepts, will take applications for fuel assistance, bring proof of income, light bill and social security number.

Saturday, Sept. 5--Annual auction and yard sale to benefit the Maine Conservation School begins 9 a.m. for yard sale and 10 a.m. for auction at the Woodstock ball field on Route 26.

Deertrees Theatre, Harrison, will present Strafford County Wind Symphony for the last performance of the season. Tickets: \$12 general or \$8.50 with Circle of Friends Pass.

Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 5 and 6--Ellis River Riders gymkhana horse show at Andover arena. Call 392-1297 for further information

Veterans' Services (State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ, Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Story hour for preschoolers, Thursdays, 2:30-3:30 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May), Michelle Conroy, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tues., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Wed., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Thurs., 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Fri., 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

Reach

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

Exchanges

District Exchange--Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center--Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services--Outpatient counseling services available at Bethel Family Health Center, Mondays and Wednesdays. For info. call 207-743-7580.



On Friday, Aug. 28, THE MOLLYCOCKETT CHORUS (shown here) will join forces with the Downeasters chorus for "A Night of Barbershop" at Deertrees Theatre in Harrison. Patriotic numbers and old favorites will highlight their initial segment, including "In the Good Old Summertime" and a "Cohan Medley." Mollycockett music, after intermission, will feature songs about Broadway, one of which will be "Give My Regards to Broadway."

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 9:30 a.m. worship, July-Aug. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tues., 8 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. morning worship, 6 p.m. evening service.

Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Lawrence Conley, Mass--Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist--Rev. Geraldine MacNeil, Pastor, 9 a.m. Sunday worship.

West Bethel Union--Rev. Joyce Scott, 9 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship.

Episcopal House Church--at Bohrs' on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., third Sunday of the month, 824-2913.

Church of Christ--at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school, 11 a.m. worship service.

Unitarian Universalist--Services first and third Sundays each month, beginning in Sept.

Andover

First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich, 10 a.m. Sunday worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. beginning Oct. 21.

Calvary Congregational Church--Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; worship service 9:30 a.m.; fellowship brunch following, Wed. nights, Bible study and prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. Rev. Duane Waite.

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry

Newry Community Church--Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor.

Albany

Congregational Church--Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Bible study Tues. 7 p.m.; Pastor Eddie Gammon.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)--Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church--Route 117N, S. Paris, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10:15 a.m. worship followed by coffee fellowship. Summer service 9 a.m.

West Paris Baptist--Pastor Gordon DeHaas. Sunday worship 9 a.m., 6:45 p.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

North Paris Baptist--Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers)--Sunday worship 9:30 a.m., Children's program, 9:40 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris. Call 583-2780 for more information.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church--Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

Seasonal only:

Every Saturday: Bethel Farmers' Market, Bethel Area Health Center parking lot, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. Locally grown produce and local goods.

Monthly Meetings

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

First Monday: V.F.W., Lions' Hall, Bethel, 7 p.m. 824-2587.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Vegetarian Eating Group meets at Cafe DiCocoa in Bethel from 5-7 p.m. Everyone welcome. For more info call 824-JAVA.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, J. Grover Tent #17, Bryant Pond, JR Grange Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 665-2460.

Fibromyalgia Syndrome- Chronic Fatigue Syndrome meeting, Bethel Family Health Center, 7 p.m. For info. call 824-3232.

Second and Fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Bethel Airport Authority, 7 p.m. Call town office for meeting place in Feb. and March.

Every Monday: Mahoosuc Music Makers rehearsal, 7-9 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church.

Grief group (for the loss of a loved one) meets from 6-8 p.m. in the conference room of the Bethel Family Health Center.

First Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Upton selectmen meet at 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Windy Valley Snowmobile Club meets at Newry Town Office, 7 p.m.

First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally III-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMI-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Promise Keepers, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

Telstar Alumni Association meets at 6:30 p.m. at the Telstar Library.

Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.

Ladies' Bible Fellowship, 7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

Cross-Country-Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m.

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Gilead selectmen meet at Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Area Arachnes Spinning Group, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., West Parish Congregational Church. Potluck luncheon.

Western Maine Foothills Toastmasters, 6:30 p.m., Dirigo High School, Dixfield. Call 562-4931 for info.

Second Wednesday: CPS/PTA meets from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 928-2611.

Women's Fellowship, West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

Jefferson Chapter, 89, OES, Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m. at Bethel Alliance Church.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at Crescent Park School conference room, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Fourth Thursday: Bethel Area Poets Society Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

Every Thursday: Andover Water District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m. at 28 S. Main St. (Next meeting Jan. 8 at 7:30 p.m.)

West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m.

Middle and High School Youth Groups, 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Saturday: Western Maine Mountain Jeepers meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

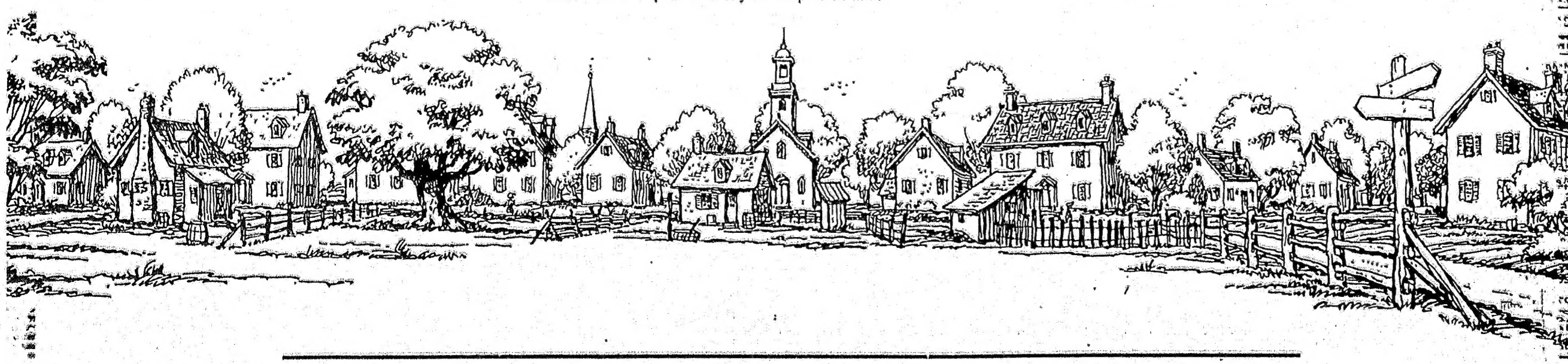
St. Andrews Society meeting, 10 a.m., Harvest House, Lisbon (business meeting with lunch).

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

Last Saturday: Upton Planning Board meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed or phoned in at 824-2444. The deadline is Monday noon.

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BETHEL CITIZEN TV LISTINGS

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THURSDAY EVENING AUGUST 27, 1998

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(3) Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "Miami Blues"			News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV		
(32) Funny	Funny	Mr Bill	Life Cam	Movie: "The Night of the Twisters"			700 Club			
(6) Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Friends	Frasier	Seinfeld	Frasier	ER	News			
(8) Minor League Baseball: Portland at Akron				Summer Thursday	Nightline in Primetime	News				
(10) News-Lehrer		Quest		Mystery!	Vis-a-Vis: Veil	Dad's Army	Red Green			
(22) Sportsctr.	WNBA	WNBA Basketball Playoffs: Championship			Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter				
(34) Waltons		NASCAR: 50 Years	Prime Time Country		Today's Country	Dallas				
(13) Frasier	Ent. Tonight	NFL Preseason Football: Dallas Cowboys at Jacksonville Jaguars			News					
(41) Pennant	Tennis: ATP MFS Pro Championships - Early Rounds			Goin' Deep		Pennant				
(15) Movie: "My Girl"				Movie: "Fools Rush In"			Autopsy 4-Spk.			
(17) Movie: "Escape to Witch Mountain"		Movie: "Hocus Pocus"			Bump	Rescue	Menace on the Mountain			
(18) "Wild America" Cont'd		Movie: "Escape From L.A."			Movie: "Anaconda"		Lethal 2			
(20) Major League Baseball: Oakland Athletics at Boston Red Sox					Major League Baseball: Brewers at Diamondbacks					
(44) Party of Five		WNBA Basketball Playoffs: Championship			Chicago Hope	Attitudes	Golden			
(5) Griffith	Griffith	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at St. Louis Cardinals				Movie: "The War Wagon"				
(24) Doug	Rugrats	Shelby Woo	HappyDay	HappyDay	HappyDay	HappyDay	Bewitched			
(25) Movie: "Konga" Cont'd		Movie: "The Land That Time Forgot"			Movie: "When Dinosaurs Ruled the Earth"		Springfield			
(26) Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger	Movie: "Every Mother's Worst Fear"				Silk Stalkings				
(27) Law & Order		Biography		Unexplained	Touch of Frost	Law & Order				
(12) Fam. Mat.	Coach	Wiseguy			Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Colorado Rockies					
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live	Newsstand-Enter	Sports	Moneyline			

FRIDAY EVENING AUGUST 28, 1998

...	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Seinfeld	Frasier	Movie: "Trial by Jury"			News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV		
(32) Funny	Funny	Mr Bill	Life Cam	Movie: "Airheads"			700 Club			
(6) Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Sunset Shock		Dateline	Law & Order	News				
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Sabrina	You Wish	Boy-World	Teen Angel	20/20	News			
(10) News-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St	Keeping Up	Brittas	Faith	Goodnight	Dad's Army		
(22) Sportsctr.	College Football Preview	NASCAR's 50		NFL Inside Access	Baseball	Sportscenter				
(34) Waltons		Gaither Gospel Hour	Prime Time Country	Road: Musical Journey	Dallas					
(13) Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Kids Say	Candid C.	Unsolved Mysteries	Nash Bridges	News				
(41) Golf	Tennis: ATP MFS Pro Championships - Quarterfinals				Pennant	Cycle World				
(15) "Aspen Extreme" Cont'd		Movie: "Men in Black"			Movie: "Indiscreet"		Chris Rock			
(17) "The Computer Wore Tennis Shoes"		Movie: "Jungle 2 Jungle"			Marsupilami	Menace on the Mountain				
(18) "One Fine Day" Cont'd		Movie: "Masterminds"			Movie: "Face/Off"					
(20) Front Row	Football	Hardcore Football	Sports	Front Row	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News				
(44) Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Movie: "Cast the First Stone"		Attitudes	Golden			
(5) Griffith	Griffith	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at St. Louis Cardinals				Movie: "Short Circuit"				
(24) Doug	Rugrats	Kablani	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Bewitched			
(25) "City Beneath the Sea"		Movie: "A Night to Remember"			WENN	Movie: "The Return of the Vampire"				
(26) Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger	Movie: "Wild Bill"				Movie: "Back to School"				
(27) Law & Order		Biography		L.A. Detectives	Midsomer Murders	Law & Order				
(12) Major League Baseball	Griffith	Griffith		Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Colorado Rockies						
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live	World Today	Sports	Moneyline			

SATURDAY EVENING AUGUST 29, 1998

...	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Seinfeld	Mad	Movie: "Mom and Dad Save the World"			News	Cheers	Star Trek: Voyager			
(32) Movie: "Lucas" Cont'd		Movie: "The Karate Kid, Part Two"					Deadly Invasion: Killer Bee Nightmare			
(6) Mad	Seinfeld	Pretender		Movie: "Congo"		News	Sat. Night			
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funnest Home Videos		Movie: "Mallrats"		News	Psi Factor			
(10) Mark R.	Rattler!	Anyplace	Wild World	Evening at Pops	Mr. Bean	MontyPyth	Austin City Limits			
(22) Sportsctr.	NFL 2Night	NFL Preseason Football: Carolina Panthers at Pittsburgh Steelers								
(34) Week-Country	Opny	Grand Opny		Auto Racing: Indy Racing League Classic - Atlanta 500		Trucks				
(13) Star Trek: Deep Space 9	Early Edition			Magnificent Seven	Walker, Texas Ranger	News				
(41) Football	Tennis: ATP MFS Pro Championships	Tennis: Hamlet Cup		Boxing: Fight Night at the Great Western Forum						
(15) Movie: "Good Burger"				Movie: "Soul Food"		Oz				
(17) Movie: "Brink"			Movie: "Brink"		'N Sync in Concert	Walt Disney Presents				
(18) "Picture Perfect" Cont'd		Movie: "Retroactive"		5thElemnt	Movie: "The Fifth Element"					
(20) Major League Baseball	Equestrian: Chrysler Classic				FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News				
(44) Movie: "Deadly Matrimony" Cont'd					Intimate Portrait	Maggie	Oh Baby			
(5) WCW Saturday Night		Movie: "Carlie"			Movie: "The War of the Roses"					
(24) Doug	Beavers	Rugrats	All That	Kenan-Kel	Strange	Brady	WonderYr	HappyDay	Laverne	
(25) "A New Lear" Cont'd		Movie: "Cahill, United States Marshal"			Movie: "Reptilicus"		Green Brts			
(26) Movie: "Crocodylle Dundee II"				The Net			Movie: "Major League"			
(27) Mysteries of the Bible	Biography This Week			One-on-One With David Frost: George Bush		Treasure!				
(12) Fam. Mat.	Riches	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Colorado Rockies				News	Men of War			
(39) Capital	Sports	World	Business	Larry King Weekend	World	Capital	Sports Tonight			

SUNDAY EVENING AUGUST 30, 1998

...	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Movie: "Funny About Love"				Wild Things			News	Cheers	Viper	
(32) "Storybook" Cont'd			Movie: "Young Hercules"				Movie: "Columbo Goes to the Guillotine"			
(6) World's-Magic		Dateline		Movie: "Under Siege 2: Dark Territory"			News	Outer Limits		
(8) Movie: "3 Ninjas Kick Back"				Love, Lust and Marriage	Practice		News	Paed Prog.		
(10) Ballykissangel		Live From Lincoln Center								
(22) Sportsctr.	Baseball	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at St. Louis Cardinals					Sportscenter			
(34) Outdoors	Bassmastr.	In-Fish	Bill Dance	Championship Rodeo	Hunting	Fishin'	NASCAR	ClassicCar		
(13) 60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel		Movie: "Children of the Dust"			News			
(41) NFL Preseason Football: Philadelphia Eagles at New England Patriots					Tennis: ATP MFS Pro Championships	Golf				
(45) Movie: "Independence Day"				Antiss	Movie: "The Rat Pack"					
(17) Omba	Muppets	Timon	Aladdin	Walt Disney Presents	Movie: "Unidentified Flying Oddball"					
(18) Movie: "Carpool" Cont'd		Movie: "Losin' It"			Movie: "Top Gun"					
(20) Soccer: English Premier League - Teams TBA				Goin' Deep	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News				
(44) Movie: "Family Album" Cont'd					Any Day Now	Intimate Portrait				
(5) National Geographic Explorer				Wild Life Adventures	TOPX	National Geo.				
(24) My Brother	All That	Shelby Woo	Shelby Woo	Brady	Brady	HappyDay	HappyDay	HappyDay		
(25) XManEyes	Screen	Movie: "Sergeant Rutledge"			Movie: "Friendly Persuasion"					
(26) WWF Sunday Night Heat		Pacific Blue		Silk Stalkings	La Femme Nikita	McEnroe	The Net			
(27) Ancient Mysteries		Biography			Biography					
(12) 7th Heaven		Sister, Sis.	Smart Guy	Unhappily	Unhappily	News	Replay	Coach	Nightman	
(39) World	Sports	Perspectives		World Today		Newsstand: Time	Sports Tonight			

MONDAY EVENING AUGUST 31, 1998

...	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Seinfeld	Frasier	In House	Malcolm	Good News	Sparks	News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV	
(32) Funny	Funny	Mr Bill	Life Cam	Movie: "Dad, the Angel & Me"			700 Club			
(6) Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Diana				Dateline	News			
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	College Football: Kickoff Classic - Florida State vs. Texas A&M					News			
(10) News-Lehrer		Quest: Maine		Chicano! History		Chicano! History	Dad's Army	Red Green		
(22) Sportsctr.	Monday	Dallas Cheerleaders		Bodybuilding		Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter			
(34) Waltons		Today's Country		Prime Time Country		Monday Night Concerts	Dallas			
(13) Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Cosby	Cosby	Raymond	Raymond	48 Hours	News			
(41) Sportswriters on TV		Boxing: Fight Night at the Great Western Forum				Soccer: Chicago Fire vs. Columbus Crew				
(15) Star Trek 6-Undiscovered		Movie: "Event Horizon"		Paraversions	Oz		"Devil in the Flesh"			
(17) Movie: "The Mighty Ducks"			Movie: "Brink"			Toonage	Walt Disney Presents			
(18) "Real Genius" Cont'd			Movie: "Addicted to Love"				Movie: "Frankie"			
(20) Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox						FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News			
(44) Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Movie: "A Dangerous Affair"		Attitudes	Golden			
(5) Griffith		Major League Baseball: Houston Astros at Atlanta Braves				Movie: "Firewalker"				
(24) Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Strange	Brady	WonderYr	HappyDay	Laverne	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	
(25) "Man Without a Star"		Movie: "David and Bathsheba"				Movie: "The Sins of Rachel Cade"				
(26) McEnroe		U.S. Open Tennis: Men's and Women's Opening Rounds					Silk Stalkings			
(27) Law & Order		Biography		Investigative Reports	Poirot		Law & Order			
(12) Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Baltimore Orioles						News	Beverly Hills, 90210			
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		Newsstand: Time	Sports	Moneyline		

TUESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 1, 1998

...	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Seinfeld	Frasier	Moesha	Clueless	Moesha	Clueless	News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV	
(32) Funny	Funny	Mr Bill	Life Cam	Movie: "A Mother's Gift"			700 Club			
(6) Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Mad	Working	Frasier	Just Shoot	Dateline	News			
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Home Imp.	Soul Man	Spin City	Dharma	Maximum Bob	News			
(10) News-Lehrer		Nova		Oliver Sacks-Mind		Cayutaville	Dad's Army	Red Green		
(22) Sportsctr.	Strongman	WNBA Basketball Playoffs: Championship Game 3 - Teams TBA				Baseball	Sportscenter			
(34) Waltons		Oak Ridge Boys		Prime Time Country		George Jones	Dallas			
(13) Frasier	Ent. Tonight	JAG		Movie: "Children of the Dust"			News			
(41) Golf	Golf	Goin' Deep		This Week in NASCAR		Motorsports Hour	Sportswriters on TV			
(15) Movie: "Selena" Cont'd		Movie: "Soul Food"				Movie: "Single White Female"				
(17) "Rover Dangerfield"		Movie: "Cats Don't Dance"			Movie: "Bingo"		Walt Disney Presents			
(18) "Fools Rush In" Cont'd		Movie: "Speed 2: Cruise Control"				Movie: "Return to Savage Beach"				
(20) Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox						FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News			
(44) Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Any Day Now		Maggie	Oh Baby	Attitudes	Golden	
(5) Griffith		Major League Baseball: Houston Astros at Atlanta Braves					Movie: "Mr. Destiny"			
(24) Doug	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Cousin	Brady	WonderYr	HappyDay	Laverne	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	
(25) "Home of the Brave"		Movie: "A Night to Remember"				Hidden H'wood	Movie: "Tin Pan Alley"			
(26) Xena		U.S. Open Tennis					Silk Stalkings			
(27) Law & Order		Biography		Inside Story		Poirot	Law & Order			
(12) Fam. Mat.	Coach	Buffy the Vampire Slayer		Dawson's Creek		News	Beverly Hills, 90210			
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		World Today	Sports	Moneyline		

WEDNESDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 2, 1998

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Seinfeld	Frasier	Sentinel		Star Trek: Voyager		News	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Real TV
(32)	Funny	Funny	Mr Bill	Life Cam	Movie: "Me and the Kid"			700 Club		
6	Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Dateline		3rd Rock	Stressed	Law & Order		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dharma	Two Guys	Drew Carey	Whose?	Primetime Live		News	
10	Newshour-Lehrer		Wild Islands		Magnificent Journeys		Into the Rising Sun		Dad's Army	Red Green
22	Sportsctr.				Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced			Major League Baseball: Teams TBA		
(34)	Waltons	Life of Keith Whitley		Prime Time Country			Emery-Merle Haggard		Dallas	
13	Frasier	Ent. Tonight	Nanny	Style	Public Eye		Chicago Hope		News	
(41)	NASCAR	Major League Soccer: Revolution at MetroStars			Xtreme		Cycle World		This Is the PGA Tour	
(15)	Movie: "Clear and Present Danger" Cont'd				Movie: "The Terminator"			Oz		
(17)	Movie: "Brink"		Movie: "Father and Scout"				Tale Spin	Football	Walt Disney Presents	
(18)	Beautician-Bst.		Movie: "Rosemary's Baby"				Movie: "Casualties"			
(20)	Major League Baseball: Seattle Mariners at Boston Red Sox						FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News	
(4)	Party of Five		Chicago Hope		Movie: "The Secretary"			Attitudes		Golden
(5)	Griffith	Griffith	Movie: "Sleeping With the Enemy"				Movie: "The American President"			
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Hey Arnold!	Strange	Brady	WonderYr	HappyDay	Laveme	I Love Lucy	Bewitched
(25)	"The Lonely Man" Cont'd		Movie: "Bend of the River"			Movie: "Ensign Pulver"			Master	
(26)	Xena	U.S. Open Tennis							Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Law & Order	Biography			American Justice		Sherlock Holmes		Law & Order	
(12)	Fam. Ma.	Coach	Wayans	Jamie Foxx	Wayans		Harvey	News		Beverly Hills, 90210
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	World Today		Larry King Live		Newsstand: Fortune		Sports	Moneyline

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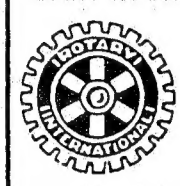
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DATE: Sept. 2, 1998
TIME: 7:00 pm
PLACE: Woodstock Elementary School

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Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 -- a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held September 8, 1998 at the Bethel Town Office to consider a liquor license renewal from Pat's Pizzeria of Bethel located on Mayville Road. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office. Christen Mason, Town Clerk

PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 -- a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on September 8, 1998 at the Bethel Town Office to consider a liquor license application from Maine Country Market located on Mayville Rd. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office. Christen Mason, Town Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bethel Board of Selectmen are accepting applications for volunteer positions for the following committees:
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Water District Trustee
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The Woodstock Board of Selectmen

are accepting bids on the construction of the addition to the Whitman Memorial Library. This will include framing, roofing, siding, windows and interior walls. Completion of this work should be December 31, 1998. The bid specifications are available at the Woodstock Town Office. Bids on the work are due on September 15, 1998 at 5 pm. For further information, you may call 207-665-2668.

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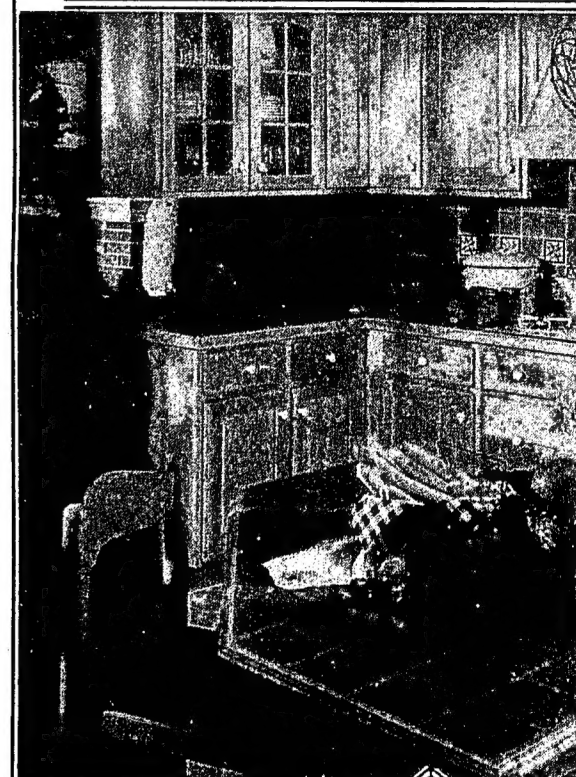
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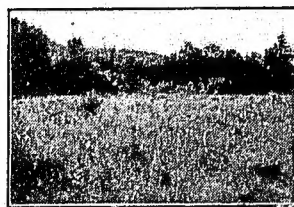
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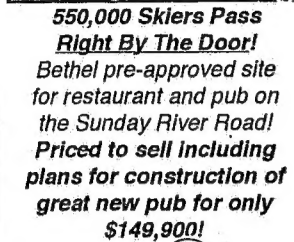
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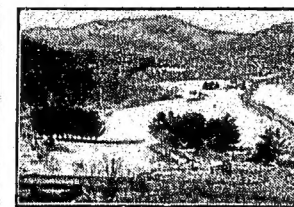
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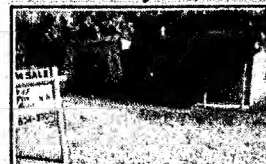
Elmi St., Bethel - Very nice 3 bdrm, 1.5 ba village colonial features oak floors, nice lot and many quality updates, including a **great sunny sitting porch!** Priced to sell at only **\$99,900!**



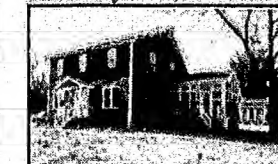
Spectacular Paradise Rd! One of Bethel's finest homes, 4 bdrm, 2+ ba, 4,000+ sq ft., great views, guest apartment and more! **Just reduced to sell at only \$269,900!!**



Super Cape, West Bethel Spectacular 3 bdrm, 2.5 ba., 2+ car garage, 3,000+ sq. ft., lap pool. Unbelievable views on 5+/- ac! **Great House at a Great Price - \$289,900!**



Great potential in this Rt. 2 Hanover cottage; 2 bdrm, 1 ba, nice living room, kitchen on 1+/- ac, minutes to ski slopes! **Needs some work but priced to reward the hard worker at only \$29,900!**



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NEW - Bear River Lots
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Powder Ridge Lots
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Lot #8 - A great buy at \$38,900!
Lot #70 - \$39,900!
Lot #7 - \$42,900!
Lot #9 - (with house plans!) \$44,900!
Lot #86 (great views!) \$49,900!
Lot #62 - (5+/- ac) - \$59,900!
Other Lots
Hanover - 160 ac - \$129,900!
River Lot 19+/- ac - \$199,000!
Albany - 8+/- ac - \$18,900!
Albany - 20+/- ac - \$82,900!
Union - 109 ac - \$79,900!
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TWO FAMILY YARD SALE, Saturday, August 29th from 9:30am - 3pm. Rain date, Sunday, August 30th. 50 Mt View Circle, West Bethel. Retired Reanie Babies, Household items, books, furniture, something for everyone. No early Birds. 35

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ANDOVER VILLAGE, 3 bedroom unit in big 2 family farmhouse. Large yard, walk to school \$395.00 per month plus utilities. 824-4875. 30f

TWO BEDROOM Ranch, with full cellar, washer & dryer. Year round lease. \$500/month, plus utilities. 561-747-9833. 33f

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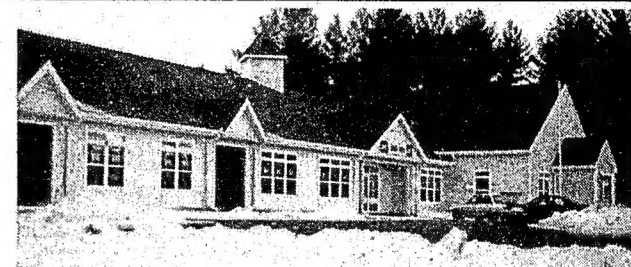
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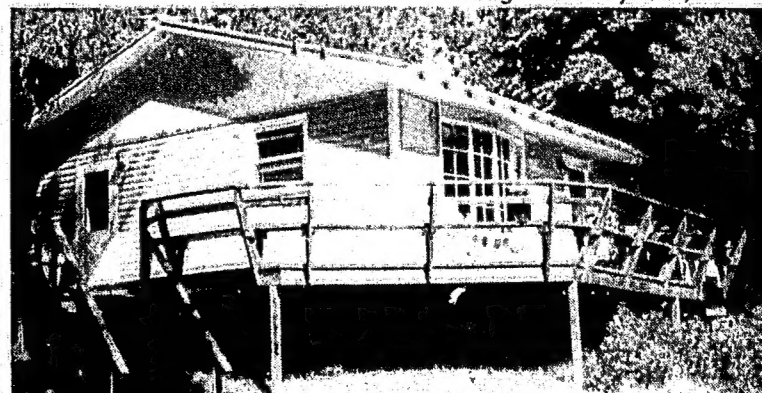
Route 232, Bethel: Conveniently located on 3.9+/- private acres, this comfortable home offers 3 bedrooms, 1 3/4 baths, open and spacious living areas. Lower level has garage space for 4 cars! Enjoy mountain views from the living room/deck areas. Must see to appreciate! **\$119,900**



Bryant Pond: Located on a private lot, this affordably priced 3 bedroom home won't last long! Spacious living room, 1 1/2 baths, large closets, full basement, easily accessible & useable attic and maintenance free vinyl siding. Close to Bryant Pond Village amenities. Ideal for the beginner family! **\$52,900**



Greenwood/Round & So. Ponds: Cozy 2 bedroom log cottage situated on private lot on sunny shores of Round/South Ponds inlet. Large glassed in screened porch overlooking pond. **Was \$124,900 Now \$99,000**



Woodstock: Situated on a 1 1/2+/- acre lot, this attractive and well-maintained 3 BR ranch home is conveniently located on Rt. 26, en route to area skiways and Bethel Village. Recent addition boasts a spacious living area with cathedralized ceiling and fireplace. Enjoy FHW oil heat, private drilled well and wrap around deck. Detached 2-car gambrel style garage has upper level with potential for workshop or rec room. Full basement offers possible area for living space expansion. **\$96,500**

House Lots & Land

North Pond 1 1/2 acre lot boasts privacy, views and 200+/- waterfrontage. **\$42,900 Now \$33,900**

Curtis Hill, Bryant Pond 64+/- private acres. Surveyed, tree growth, ROW to property, views, affordability. **\$29,900**

South Pond Shores, Greenwood 5+/- acre lot, long road frontage, deeded ROW to pond/beach, private \$17,500. 6+/- acres, 500+/- waterfrontage, scenic views. **\$84,900 Now \$83,000**

Birch Road, Greenwood 1/2+/- acre building lot boasts possible Mt. Abram slope views and is conveniently loc. to Rt. 26 & the Bethel/So. Ponds areas. Build your year round or vacation dream home! **\$19,000**

Andover Secluded 43+/- acre wooded parcel offers subdivision potential, excellent mountain views, privacy. **\$21,900**

Greenwood 1 1/2 acre building lot with deeded easement to South Pond, views! **\$22,500 Now \$18,900**

SHORT TERM RENTALS!

Condominiums

Sunday River - White Cap: Spacious 1 BR upper level and unit offers wrap around deck, jacuzzi tub, trail access, slope views, use of rec facilities. **\$69,900**

Bethel Opera Houses: Loc. in Bethel Village, across from the Common! Furnished 1 BR & sm. loft unit. Minutes to Sunday River! Good rental history. **\$32,000**

Lake Umbagog: (Woodstock/Bryant Pond) 3 BR end unit/lower level en route to SUNNYSIDE, Lake/mountain views. **\$49,900**

Mt. Abram: Bldg. D - 1 bedroom end unit, ground level, lg. foyer/entry, deck, woodstove. **\$43,900;** Bldg. C: ground level 1 bedroom. **\$48,900**

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